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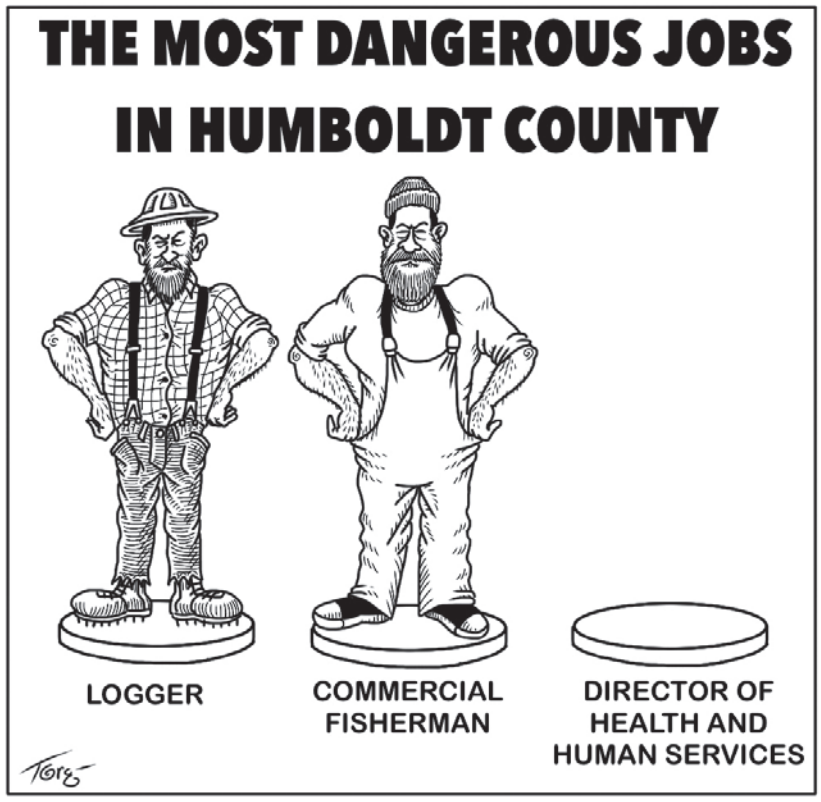


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Wormspotting

Editor:

My whole family was intrigued by Anthony Westkamper's Humbug article mentioning glow worms ("Coming Back and Slipping Away," Nov. 26). We had no idea something so cool lives here!

Over 20 years ago on a visit to Texas we saw fireflies for the first time, and I still remember how amazing they are. We would love to hear more about these "firefly relatives" and exactly where, when and how to find them!

Amy Lennox, Eureka

Editor's note

Anthony shared his tips on locating local glow worms:

"Although they're known as "Douglas Fir Glow Worm" (Pterotus obscuripinnis) I almost always see them in the leaf litter under redwood trees. They can be found in most of the parks along State Route 36. You are most likely to find them on drizzly or rainy nights when it's dark and the forest floor is wet.

"When you get to your destination use a flashlight to plan the excursion in your mind, then turn out all lights and allow your eyes to dark adapt. Once in the dark, I usually give it a full minute or more with my eyes closed. Then look. They resemble tiny green LEDs. On close examination, you'll find two light patches, one on each side. You needn't walk softly. It is theorized they glow as a warning that they are distasteful so your heavy footfalls may actually stimulate them."

Winter Walk

Out on the coastal trail
the grey air is December brisk.
Strangers greet each other
"Good morning!"
full-throated and gust-blown
in the ante meridiem freshness.
Dark, scudding clouds promise
the yearned-for deliverance of rain.
Leaves ferment on the asphalt,
blanketed with pine needles and miniature cones
the size of elves.
Edging the trail are fervent greens
and drooping ferns,
which autumn
scorched burnt umber
long before.
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pervade the breezes that scurry
in and out of the low-slung dunes,
dotted with tufts of sea grass.
In the adjoining lagoon
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indifferent to the wash of surf beyond.
Does a sense of looming rain
quiet them?
We are all creatures of our sensations,
always flourishing,
ever vanishing,
mortal and eternal.

— Paul Mann

Bad News is Good

Editor:

Some of my fellow readers of this great publication have voiced their objections to your coverage of the darker side of life in Humboldt County ("Mailbox," Nov. 5).

We have problems in Humboldt County and if we are going to make this a better place, we have to acknowledge problems like homeless-

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ness, corruption and crime. Our media sources have a duty to bring these problems into the light.

The journalists here are doing this in a nation and at a time when journalists usually shy away from reporting real news. Others are afraid to ask the tough questions and to search for the truth.

We should commend them for having the professionalism and courage to cover the tough issues. We should as responsible citizens want our journalists to dig up the dirt and expose it. This is why I read the *Journal* and I am proud to live here in a place that has at least two publications that do not hide from real news stories.

The role of a journalist and the media is to provide us with information. We as responsible citizens should support that role and we should also fulfill our duty to act on that information. We count on the media to expose the truth, so that corrupt officials and criminals cannot hide from the light of day. That is how we protect our democracy.

This is a free publication, if you do not want real news and want to keep your blinders on it is your freedom of choice not to read.

When we put blinders on and do not demand real news, we do ourselves and our community a grave disservice. I want to thank the *North Coast Journal* and the *Ferndale Enterprise* for covering the tough issues and remaining faithful to the role of the media.

Todd Heiler, Eureka

Corrections

The story "To Seal and Destroy" in the Dec. 3, 2015 edition of the *Journal* makes reference to a protestor throwing a glass of water on the back of Eureka Police Chief Murl Harpham in 2013. As the protestor, Chad Kemp, was never convicted on these charges, we should have included the word "allegedly." The *Journal* regrets the error.

In "Putting Heads Together," North Coast Concussion Program Director Justus Ortega's name was misspelled. The story also contained an error. The program's NCAA grant pays for expanded baseline and post-injury measures of concussions in HSU's Division II athletes. The program's other work, with college club athletes, high school athletes and the general community, is supported by the university, high schools or on an individual or group basis.

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Tipping Point?

By Judy Hodgson
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Here's my take on guns: I get hunters. The hunter-gatherer gene in our DNA may have faded a bit with so many city dwellers who believe chickens come into this world plucked, washed and wrapped in plastic. But that gene has not disappeared.

And living in a rural county like Humboldt for 45 years — with less-than-adequate access to law enforcement protection — I get those who feel the need to have a handgun and maybe even a concealed weapon permit for protection.

Further, I absolutely understand the need for a strong, well-trained military. But military-style assault weapons — AR-15s and AK-47s, semiautomatic guns that can accept large-capacity magazines — have no place outside the military and law enforcement SWAT teams in any civilized nation on earth. These weapons have one purpose and that is to kill humans. Lots of humans and in a hurry. Civilians who possess military weapons do not make us safer. They make us less safe. That these weapons are so readily available in this country is barbaric.

Let me pound a stake in the heart of the argument made Monday by U.S. Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas, one that was supported by the second worst of the Supremes, Antonin Scalia: Thomas called these weapons "modern sporting rifles." He said, "The overwhelming majority of citizens who own and use such rifles (roughly 5 million Americans), do so for lawful purposes, including self-defense and target shooting."

Please. You can't scare off a home intruder with a handgun? And target shooting for sport? Can't you register those "sporting rifles" and leave them locked up at the range? Or find another hobby. Archery is good. That's something that would make the rest of us feel safer.

Thankfully justices Thomas and Scalia were in the minority Monday when the Supreme Court *correctly* refused to hear a Second Amendment challenge to a Chicago suburb's ordinance banning semi-automatic assault weapons and large-capacity magazines. That the court declined to hear this case gives hope that other municipalities and states will follow suit with similar legislation.

As I struggled to make sense this past week of the endless loop of escalating gun violence in this nation, I ran across a *New York Times* article (Dec. 5) on Britain's gun laws banning private ownership of *handguns* and most semi-automatic rifles on Britain's mainland. Do you know the roots of that handgun ban, why it was so swiftly enacted?

In 1996 a 43-year-old man in Scotland stormed a school gym with four handguns and killed 16 children. (Sound familiar?) Citizens were furious. Within a year that law was passed for all of England and today it is soundly supported by law enforcement. Monday's case before the Supreme Court concerned a similar ordinance, albeit much less strict. The city of Highland Park, Illinois, passed an ordinance in response to the Sandy Hook (Conn.) elementary school shootings three years ago. Officials saw something that horrified them and took action to protect their city.

Maybe we've reached a tipping point and can move in another direction. The *NYT* Sunday edition included a front-page editorial, the first since 1920, pointing the way. It called for an end to the gun epidemic in America. You can find it online by searching "*NYT* editorial guns."

Here are some highlights:

"America's elected leaders offer prayers for gun victims and then, callously and without fear of consequence, reject the most basic restrictions on weapons of mass killing.

"(U.S.) politicians abet would-be killers by creating gun markets for them.

"It is past time to stop talking about halting the spread of firearms, and instead to reduce their number drastically – eliminating some large categories of weapons and ammunition.

"It is not necessary to debate the peculiar wording of the Second Amendment. No right is unlimited and immune from reasonable regulation."

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New biomass power development may attract new technology to the North Coast, similar to this 0.5 megawatt plant in the Central Valley. *Angie Lottes.*

Power Surge for County Electricity Plan

By J.A. Savage
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Don't like Pacific Gas & Electric Co.? Then you might be relieved to hear your town and Humboldt County are working fast to give you the opportunity to have a local electricity provider.

Last week, the Redwood Coast Energy Authority formally invited an alternative provider to take over for PG&E's electricity. A "request for proposals" asked businesses to submit qualifications to buy electricity, administer billing and provide customer service. Proposals are due Jan. 15.

If the Energy Authority is successful, it would be a major change in the way Humboltians receive their electricity. PG&E would still maintain the power lines, but a new supplier would use them to deliver the energy.

Instead of stockholders, a countywide community choice program would have its own citizens as benefactors.

The authority's plan would take away the profit incentive of those who invest in PG&E to make money. The new "shareholders" would be regular residents instead of investors. The "investing" part would become a routine payment for electricity delivered. There would be no utility money management diversions — like the $5 billion that disappeared from ratepayers when PG&E filed for bankruptcy in 2001, or the state Division of Ratepayer Advocates' estimated $28 billion that was reaped from the Diablo Canyon nuclear plant, or the Humboldt Bay nuke's decommissioning fund bordering on $1 billion.

PG&E also devotes time and money to lobbying the state to undermine community choice and alternative energy programs, as noted by Michael Winkler, Arcata mayor-at-presstime and partner and energy analyst at Redwood Energy.

> "We're hoping that we can achieve [savings for customers] in the ballpark of 2 percent or so – which isn't huge for an individual customer's bill, but would add up to maybe $2 million or more per year communitywide, which is a significant amount of money that can go back into the local economy"
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> — *Michael Winkler*

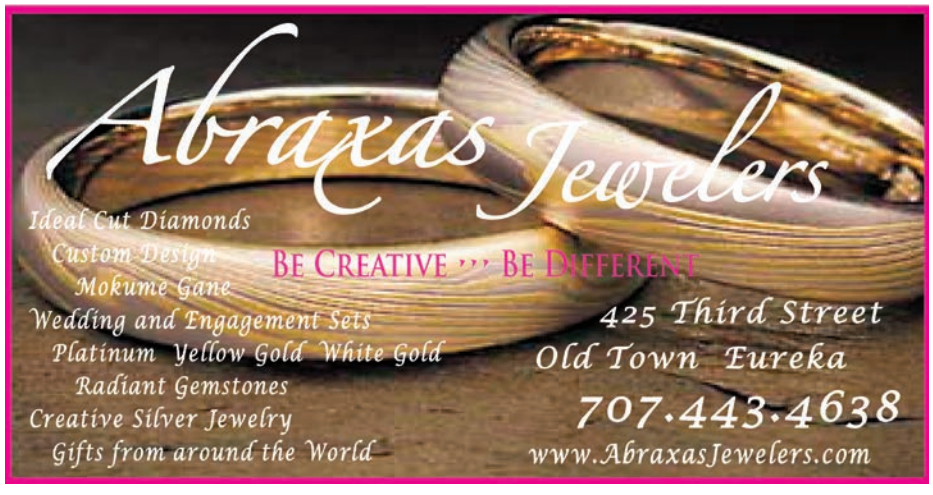
Energy Authority Director Matthew Marshall said a switch away from PG&E may also bring modest savings for rate payers.

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Humboldt County has three steam turbine biomass power plants, similar to this plant in Chester. These plants burn waste wood from sawmills and forestry activities, and provide high quality, living wage jobs. *Angie Lottes.*

Power Surge

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up to maybe $2 million or more per year communitywide, which is a significant amount of money that can go back into the local economy," Marshall said.

Along with the authority's bid for outside help to deliver a non-PG&E power source, it's been taking votes from the county and cities, from Arcata to Rio Dell, to support the change. It has the two-thirds majority required to implement the PG&E alternative, noted Marshall, even without Eureka, which is set to vote sometime this month.

"We'll hopefully be moving forward with this step in the first quarter of 2016," Marshall stated.

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> — *Michael Winkler*

According to Winkler, the "weighted" votes from the county and city are: Humboldt County 40 percent; Eureka 18 percent; Arcata 12 percent; Fortuna 10 percent; Rio Dell 6 percent, Blue Lake 5 percent (the town rejected that share so far); Ferndale 5 percent; and Trinidad 4 percent.

Having a voting share doesn't mean the municipalities are giving money to the effort.

"We are not expecting or counting on any financial support from the county or cities — the key support we need from them is just to opt into the program so we have a solid customer base," Marshall said.

Humboldt would be following Marin and Sonoma counties as one of the first to provide electricity outside PG&E's monopoly. Winkler said there's a lot of potential in the move.

"The key advantage to residents of Humboldt County from community choice is keeping more of the millions of dollars we spend on energy in Humboldt County producing local jobs and increased economic activity," Winkler said. "I feel that the best ways to spend these savings are to re-invest the money in increased local electricity generation, increased energy efficiency and in fuel switching from imported fuels to locally generated renewable electricity."

Feeling the Biomass Burn

There are many ways to make electricity — nuclear fission, solar thermal and fossil fuels, to name a few. Basically, anything that can boil enough water can turn a turbine. In Humboldt, that includes burning trees and other forest vegetation, called "biomass."

As an adjunct to creating a community choice alternative to PG&E, some politicians hope their support will also fuel an upsurge in biomass development on the North Coast.

Biomass would be "a win all the way around," according to Humboldt County Supervisor Ryan Sundberg, because it provides jobs at biomass plants, rids forests of "scrap fire fuel" and provides money









to promote green energy. Supervisor Rex Bohn is also a major biomass supporter, but Winkler said this form of energy generation is a mixed bag.

"The advantages of biomass plants are (the) use of a local waste product and local jobs and economic activity. The major disadvantage of the biomass plants is relatively high cost of electricity production compared to other renewable sources such as solar and wind," Winkler said.

Unfortunately, burning biomass impacts Humboldt Bay's toxicity. Dioxin, a highly toxic compound, is released from some wood burning. It is an accidental toxin released by heat. For instance, the state warns against burning driftwood fires due to dioxin pollution. It's also locked into some forest biomass from historical herbicide spraying and is unlocked during burning.

"State-of-the-art scrubbers to eliminate air pollution are critical for any new biomass energy facility to ensure that air emissions don't further exacerbate dioxin contamination of Humboldt Bay and farmlands," noted Humboldt Baykeeper Director Jennifer Kalt. "Any type of combustion produces low levels of dioxin, but if wood chips from timberlands that have been treated with herbicides are the primary fuel, dioxin pollution could be a serious concern, especially if the herbicides are chlorinated chemicals."

On Oct. 30, the state ordered utilities to build or buy 90 megawatts of new biomass and livestock waste power plants, subsidized by utility rates and through the California Energy Commission. (For scale, PG&E's fossil-fueled power plant on the Bay is 163 megawatts.) Another 50 megawatts is set aside by state subsidies and requirements for burning from forest clearing. ●



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'Poison Pills'

With time running out, patience wears thin on the Klamath

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With the deadline for action looming, Oregon Congressman Greg Walden released a draft of long- and eagerly anticipated Klamath legislation on Dec. 3. But the proposal hit with a resounding thud as it was decried by stakeholders and Walden's congressional colleagues alike.

Legislation is desperately needed to salvage the historic 2010 Klamath Basin Restoration Agreement, which saw diverse stakeholders come together through a 10-year process to arrive at a compromise to resolve the decades-long Klamath water crisis and restore beleaguered salmon runs. The agreement is set to expire at the end of the year, and many had given up hope that Congress would pass the legislation needed to move the agreement forward.

So you'd think news that someone in Congress has drafted legislation to enact the deal — after years of inaction — would be met locally with cheers and fist pumps.

"Unfortunately," North Coast Congressman Jared Huffman said in a statement, "Congressman Walden's draft conspicuously leaves out the dam removal that's vital to river restoration — the centerpiece of the whole agreement for my constituents in California — and adds poison pills in the form of massive giveaways of public lands that were never part of the settlement."

According to Walden's summary of the legislation, the draft bill would "not authorize, fund or expedite federal dam removal," and would instead leave that process to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. The draft would also transfer 100,000 acres of U.S. Forest Service land each to Klamath and Siskiyou counties to be "used for timber production to grow jobs in rural communities and improve forest health."

While the topic of dam removal has long been a bit of a lightning rod in Congress, with some lawmakers fearing removal of the four Klamath dams would set a precedent for future removal projects, its absence from the draft legislation is a bit of a head scratcher. Just two months ago, Walden told the *Herald and News* that there were "no alternatives" to dam removal being a part of the deal.

"Personally, I'm not a dam removal support guy," he told the *Herald and News*, according to an Oct. 15 story in the Associated Press. "But the facts that have been agreed to [in the pact] require [dam removal] and there are really no alternatives unless you want to blow the whole agreement apart and give up on water certainty for agriculture and all the other components that go with the agreement."

It's unclear where the idea came from to gift Klamath and Siskiyou counties a combined 200,000 acres of federal forest land. Though, it should be noted Klamath County is a part of Walden's district. Walden's spokesperson, Andrew Malcolm, told the *Oregonian* the land giveaways were an "out-of-the-box" idea to help the two counties' economies and build political support for the bill.

The idea seems a stretch, as it was immediately decried by Oregon Senators Ron Wyden and Jeff Merkley, who had been in close discussions with Walden about the bill. "The give-away of federal lands to counties is a known non-start in the Senate," the two U.S. senators said. "[The draft bill] also eliminates a provision on dam removal that is central to the bargain worked out over years with blood, sweat and tears."

Legislation Wyden introduced to the Senate that would essentially enact the Klamath agreements as the stakeholders crafted them has been stalled in the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee since January. For the agreements to be codified into law, both the House and Senate would have to pass identical bills that would then be signed by President Barack Obama.

The Karuk Tribe, which has been a staunch supporter of the KBRA and for which dam removal is the negotiated benefit of the agreements, issued a press release last week deeming Walden's draft bill "far off the mark."



Greg Walden

"Congressman Walden told us all that he understood that dam removal had to be part of the bill or else irrigators would face water uncertainty," Karuk Councilman Josh Saxon said in the release. "The draft bill he released today leaves out dam removal and instead replaces it with a giveaway of public lands. Communities in the basin left partisanship at the door to hammer out a solution. Mr. Walden must do the same. If there is no dam deal, there is no damn deal."

Walden is encouraging "all parties to review the proposal" and asking for feedback. The full text of the draft can be found on his website.

Huffman said the "fundamentally flawed" discussion draft is a "discouraging sign for those of us who urgently want to make progress on Klamath River restoration," but pledged to continue a bipartisan effort to forge a "reasonable and responsible Klamath compromise. ... But like many Klamath stakeholders, my patience is wearing thin."

The agreements' path forward remains murky. If Congress again fails to act on the legislation by year's end, the stakeholders could opt to extend the agreements for another year, which they did at the close of 2014. But, as Huffman alluded, patience is wearing thin. In September, the Yurok Tribe, one of the original stakeholders to the agreements, publicly announced its intent to bail from the pact, and some other entities have indicated they are likely to follow suit if 2015 comes to a close without legislation in place.

A group of 14 of the initial settlement parties issued a statement last week on the heels the release of Walden's draft bill warning that a failure of Congress to act by the end of the year will return the Klamath Basin to the "conflicts that hurt all our communities." The statement "strongly" urges lawmakers to "roll up their sleeves and finalize legislation that achieves the goals of the parties to the settlement."

If Congress doesn't act, or passes a bill that omits dam removal, those looking for PacifiCorp to remove its four dams along the upper Klamath could turn their attention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. The Hoopa Tribe — never a party to the initial agreements — is already taking this route, and the Yurok Tribe has recently followed suit. The idea is that by pushing the commission to move forward with relicensing, stakeholders could force PacifiCorps to comply with clean water laws and install fish ladders on all four dams, which would likely prove more expensive in the long run than simply removing the dams altogether. Regulating the dams under today's standards — as opposed to their recently expired 1956 licenses that predate many environmental laws — may lead to their removal.

Believers in the Klamath agreements, however, point out that the commission — known as FERC — hasn't historically leapt to dam removal as a favorable option, noting that the only dams removed through the FERC process have been the result of private settlements.

In an interview with the Oregonian, former Oregon State Sen. Jason Atkinson, who produced a documentary on the Klamath and has spent recent years lobbying Congress to ratify the stakeholder agreements, pointed to Obama as a potential solution. The president, Atkinson said, could administratively give PacifiCorp the liability protection that was its primary negotiated benefit in the 2010 agreements, paving the way for it to go ahead with removing the dams. With dam removal no longer a part of the legislative package, Congress might be more prone to ratify the agreements.

What's clear, however, is that Walden's draft bill — once hoped to grease the congressional wheels — has complicated things.

In the press release from the tribe, Karuk Chairman Russell "Buster" Attebery said Walden's legacy rests on getting this legislation right. "There is no other solution to the Klamath crisis," he said. "Greg Walden's legacy is being forged right now and the next time there's a fish kill or irrigation shut off, it will be no one's fault but his." ●



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A 'Perverted Scheme'

By Grant Scott-Goforth
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County supervisors approved a voluntary registration program this week that could give local growers seeking state permits a leg up.

New state medical marijuana laws, expected to go into effect in 2018, will create 17 different types of licenses for cannabis businesses. As an apparent stimulus to get applications rolling in, the legislation says that any medical marijuana business in operation and good standing in local jurisdictions by Jan. 1, 2016 will get "priority" status when applying for state licenses down the road. It's unclear what that status will provide, but the clause has left counties scrambling to determine how to recognize what "good standing" means, considering there's no county laws to date dictating how large outdoor grows can operate. (The title of this column is a quote from Senior Planner Steve Lazar describing the rush to develop regulations in the wake of new state laws.)

Humboldt's solution is a voluntary registration program, the purpose of which is twofold: to give deserving local growers state priority status, and to identify the local demand for the varying state licenses.

As of right now, you can go to the planning and building permit and fill out a form with your name, contact information and a description of the size, location and nature of your "commercial cannabis activity." Simply registering won't mean you're in good standing — the county will need to review operations for accuracy.

The details defining "good standing" remain to be worked out in the next 30 days by various county agencies, including the sheriff's office. But the program will work retroactively, to a certain extent, acting as documentation that cannabis growers who registered were seeking county approval, and would be recognized, in an official capacity, as having been in good standing prior to Jan. 1, 2016 — once their claims are vetted.

Supervisors raised some doubts about how people would prove they were operating by Jan. 1 and how difficult it might be to determine if grows were in good standing. But Lazar said there are a variety of tools, including publicly accessible aerial photographs that could help the county efficiently verify registrants' claims.

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Lazar also released the draft medical marijuana cultivation ordinance that county supervisors will look at next week (for details, visit www.northcoastjournal.com), as well as a letter in support of the recommendations penned by planning commission Chair Robert Morris and a letter from Commissioner Noah Levy explaining why he voted against the recommendations.

The planning commission recommendations lean toward the pro-cannabis side — perhaps not surprising, given the board's majority makeup of property rights advocates and developers. While the planning commission's primary role is to make sure proposed laws fit the mission of the county and are consistent with state and local codes, the current iteration of the commission has proven to be vocal about its philosophies, and those are reflected in the draft recommendations. The commission declined to include several requests from environmental groups, such as a ban on cultivating in timber production zones.

Lazar said the planning commission requested that a "Humboldt Heritage" concept, which would reward best-practice growers, be included in the draft. Lazar acquiesced, but said the piece was "tacked on."

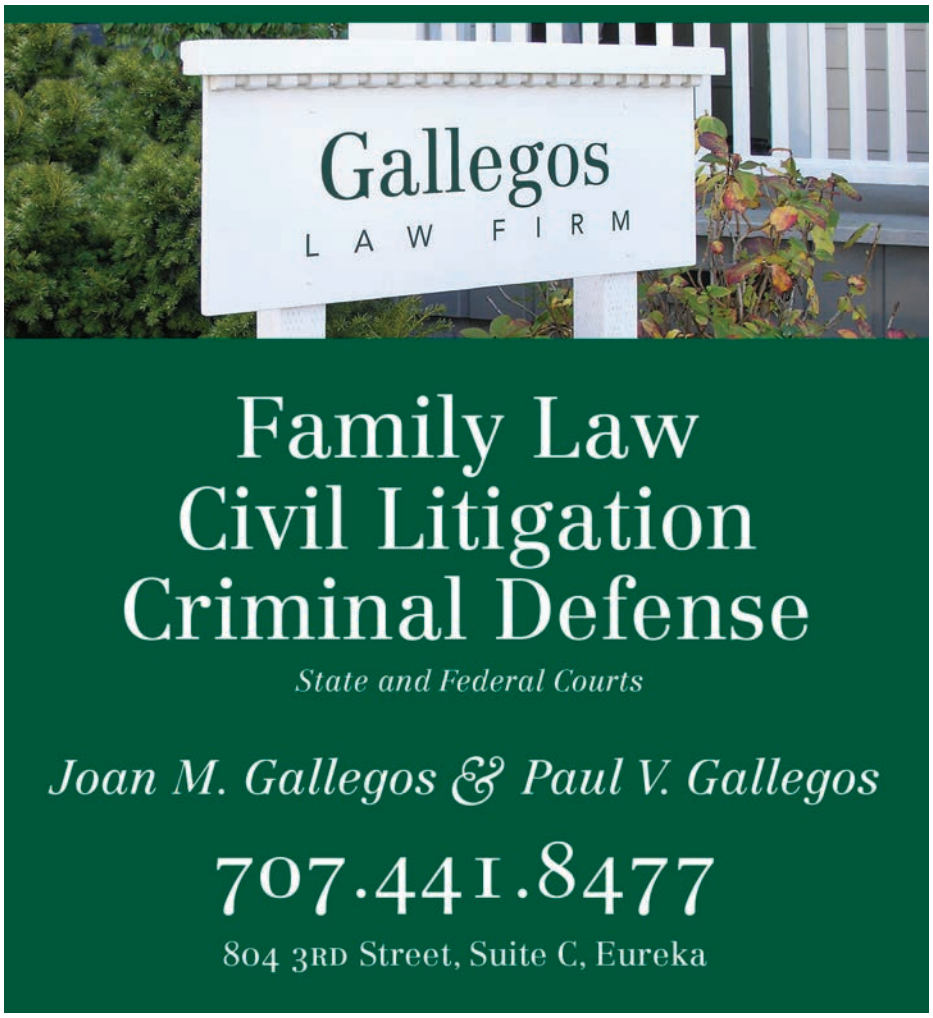
"The tension we're feeling is that branding isn't really the domain of the planning and building department," he said.

The letters highlight the most controversial point: marijuana grows on timber production zone parcels. In supporting the recommendations, Morris wrote it was appropriate to allow cultivation on TPZ lands because "there is already an enormous number of existing grows on TPZ lands and to not include these lands would totally remove any incentive for these growers to apply for a permit and bring these grows into compliance with modern Best Management Practices."

The mitigated negative declaration — the county's guarantee to the state that the law won't harm the environment — will be "bolstered" by more grows coming into compliance, Morris wrote.

But Levy wrote that allowing grows on TPZ lands without discretionary review by the county "poses a problem that the [mitigated negative declaration] is currently not equipped to address, and which I fear will make it difficult for this type of environmental document to survive a legal challenge."

Allowing new and existing grows on TPZ lands will alter Humboldt's landscape, Levy wrote. "Such a change would instantly undercut the economic logic of owning large tracts of forestland to be managed for timber. I fear this could mean the end of timber production as any part of Humboldt's future." ●





Provost Brings Baggage

Humboldt State University's next provost will arrive on campus in January with a fair amount of baggage from his last stint as an administrator, for which he's remembered as either a rogue dean or fierce equality advocate, depending on whom you ask.

Alexander Enyedi, whose hire was announced by HSU President Lisa Rossbacher Dec. 1 following a more than a year-long search, is currently a biology professor at Western Michigan University, where he served as dean of the College of Arts and Sciences until June, when his contract was unceremoniously allowed to expire. WMU Provost Timothy J. Greene's decision not to renew Enyedi's contract — and to effectively strip him of dean duties back in January — caused a bit of a firestorm on campus. Some 200 people showed up at a board of trustees meeting to support Enyedi, a pair of deans resigned in solidarity and 1,300 people signed a petition demanding his reinstatement. Faculty issued Greene a no-confidence vote over the decision.

In an email sent to faculty, Greene said his decision not to renew Enyedi's contract was due to several issues, including "declines in enrollment, declines in funded research, expectations of how to manage budget allocations, transparency in communications to university administrators and support for decisions made by either the provost's council or by me."

Enyedi, who was appointed to the dean post in 2010, told Michigan Live he believed he was being ousted from the post due to his requests to issue salary adjustments for female officers workers at the college. University administration denied the request, but instead reportedly suggested Enyedi submit staff excellence awards for the employees' he was seeking raises for, as the awards come with cash bonuses. Enyedi then applied for awards for 45 female employees, according to the Michigan Live report, and all were awarded with an accompanying $4,000 cash gift.

But Enyedi told the publication that other colleges at the university then attempted to do the same, but were denied, causing some discord.

Enyedi was apparently well liked even prior to the controversy, as 91 percent of WMU's College of Arts and Sciences faculty said in 2014 that they wanted him to continue as dean.

In a campus-wide email announcing Enyedi's hire, Rossbacher praised his scientific research and his leadership at WMU. "In addition to this broad academic and administrative experience, I believe other aspects of Alex's background make him a good fit with Humboldt State, including his deep commitment to diversity, equity and social justice," she wrote. "His efforts in these areas include faculty and staff hiring initiatives to increase the number of traditionally underrepresented members of the college, his advocacy for gender equity, and the support both he and his wife Andrea have demonstrated for the LGBTQ communities."

— Thadeus Greenson

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Wonder & Light



Fueled by cider, cookies, candy canes and mandarins, the crowd at Arcata Main Street's Lighting Ceremony watched Santa and Mrs. Claus circle the Arcata Plaza in a horse-drawn carriage before pulling up to a line of children waiting to meet the jolly bearded fellow. *POSTED 12.7.15*

— Mark Larson

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Warren Guilty on All Counts: Jason Warren was convicted of the 2012 murders of Dorothy Ulrich and Suzanne Seemann, as well as the attempted murders of Seemann's running partners. A jury found Warren guilty of special allegations that he laid in wait and tortured Ulrich, as well. Warren faces life in prison without the possibility of parole. *POSTED 12.3.15*

Make Money off Your Problems: The USA Network has put the call out to humble Humboldt County residents to fly to Los Angeles and squabble on daytime TV in front of a yet-to-be-named celebrity judge. The downsides? Well, there's that whole not actually being a legal court thing, so any judgement made on television won't hold up for future litigation. *POSTED 12.5.15*

Really?!: Somewhere between the night of Thursday, Dec. 3 and the following morning, someone pried one of the enormous metal birds off Jack Sewell's "Following Current Events," the kinetic sculpture at the C Street Market Square. Then, Toys for Tots notified the *Journal* that signs announcing toy dropoff areas have been vandalized to the tune of $400. C'mon, Humboldt. *POSTED 12.8.15*

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Digitally Speaking:

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They Said It:

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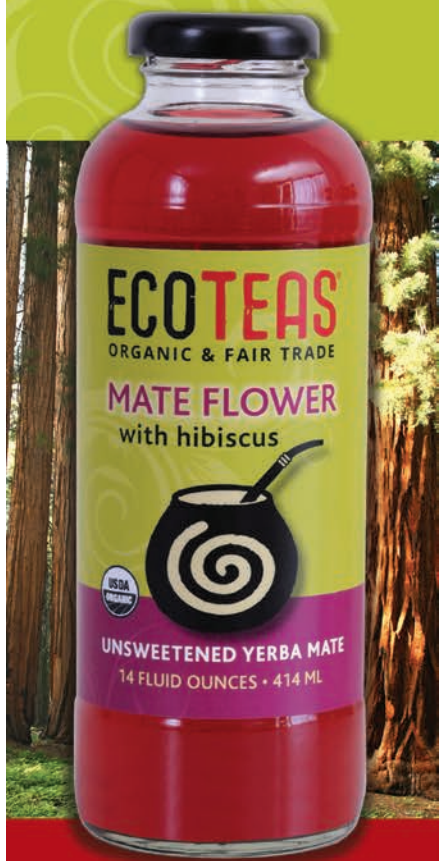
— Kristin Brinks, bailing on the Humboldt County director of Health and Human Services job she was appointed to in November. *POSTED 12.2.15*

Comment of the Week:

"That looks to be a feature, not a bug."

— Susan Fox, commenting on new HSU Provost Alexander Enyedi's ouster from Western Michigan University. *POSTED 12.6.15*

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Redwood Coast Vacation Rentals owns Trinidad's only "apartment building," a four-plex next to the Eatery. The city council recently clarified the vacation dwelling unit ordinance to limit properties like this to only one short-term rental.

FOR RENT

Tiny Trinidad's struggle over rental regulations

Story and photos by Ted Pease

TRINIDAD — Born and raised in Trinidad, Dan Cox remembers what his tiny coastal "fishing village" used to be.

"I'm the guy who wants to have more young families with kids in this town," says the 63-year-old commercial crab fisherman. "You know there used to be seven Little League teams in Trinidad? That's how many kids there were."

Now, standing in the driveway outside his Ocean Avenue home, around the corner from the house where he grew up, Cox looks down the street and shakes his head. His neighborhood has gone to hell, he says, ever since the town let vacation rentals take over.

Ocean Avenue runs nearly the full width of Trinidad, which is, geographically, the smallest incorporated city in California, with something like 360 fulltime residents. Between Main Street to the north and the bluff overlooking Trinidad Harbor to the south, Ocean Avenue is just over one-tenth of a mile long. And it's ground zero for Trinidad's civil war over VDUs — vacation dwelling units.

A lot has changed in Trinidad since Cox was a boy. The population has dropped slightly from the 379 residents it had in 1990, according to the U.S. Census. Meanwhile, the number of housing units has jumped more than 20 percent. Median home values have risen from $150,000 in 1990 to $430,000 today, according to the Census and citydata.com.

And the face of the average resident has changed oas well. In 1990, Trinidad's median age was 42.7 years old; today its 50.2. And, as Cox says, there are fewer kids running around these days: residents 18 and younger live in only 29 percent of Trinidad homes, according to the Census, compred to 78 percent of homes countywide.

Magazines have touted unspoiled Trinidad as a vacation desination and tourists have started coming in much bigger numbers over the past 15 or 20 years. As real estate prices went through the roof, homes where modest families once lived year-round sold for small fortunes to vacationers and speculators.

In the late 1990s, few visitors to Trinidad wanting more than a motel room for a couple of nights could find rentals for less than a 30-day stay. Sure, there were B&Bs, and the RV parks and campgrounds, but longer-term rentals options with a bit more character were hard to come by. These days, however, Trinidad offers scores of options, from $100-a-night rooms and mother-in-law-units to six-bedroom palaces for $600 a night or more.

The little fishing village isn't so sleepy anymore, as Trinidad joins big cities like New York and San Francisco, and smaller towns like Mammoth Lakes and Carmel in trying to stem the rising tide of vacationers and short-term renters.

The issue pits Trinidad's homeowners and sellers in what continues to be a high-end real estate market against full-time residents who worry they are losing their town to crowds of strangers partying next door. A survey of Trinidad residents last year identified "preserving community character" as a top priority. But owners of short-term rental houses — and the rental managers who work for them — argue that the rentals bring new faces and, perhaps more importantly, needed dollars to town. And, they say, no one has a right to tell them what to do with their property, anyway.

Now, Trinidad is playing catch-up, trying to rein in rentals in a well-discovered vacation destination. "They should've had all this in place before we got started with this," Cox says. "How do you fix it now?"

Trinidad is losing its small-town character, complain locals, who fight crowds in the summer, and live on blocks of dark, empty houses in the winter.

"You want to know what this town is going to look like?" asks City Councilman David Winnett, who sits on a special



Crab fisherman Dan Cox in his driveway on Ocean Avenue. VDUs have wrecked his street and his town, the Trinidad native says.

committee evaluating the VDU issue. "Go to the Jersey Shore in the winter. It's a ghost town."

It's ironic that the first city on the North Coast to try to come to grips with the short-term rental problem is tiny Trinidad, which only has about 230 houses in its one square mile. But perhaps that's why Trinidad has become the vacation rental battleground: It's a small-scale case study, and its 28 licensed VDUs, and the others waiting for a moratorium to expire, have a big impact.

It's not as if going on vacation turns everyone into crazed, drunken Las Vegas conventioneers. Visitors escaping inland heat bring their kids to shriek in the Clam Beach surf and ogle the seastacks from Moonstone to Patrick's Point, and also to eat in local restaurants and meander through gift shops and art galleries with open wallets. Shop owners like Trinidad native Loré Snell of the Trinidad Trading Company and WindanSea on Main Street will tell you that tourists — her customers — keep the town alive.

> "You know there used to be seven Little League teams in Trinidad? That's how many kids there were."
>
> — *Dan Cox*

But other residents have stories to tell about rude, unruly and sometimes even threatening short-term neighbors. Not long before Thanksgiving, a large vacation rental on Parker Creek Road erupted twice into raucous all-night house parties. Infuriated neighbors called the sheriff and filed formal complaints with the city.

It was a mess, acknowledges Mike Reinman, whose Redwood Coast Vacation Rentals manages the Paloma Creek Lodge on Parker Creek. It was doubly troubling for Reinman, who owns the property himself, coming in the midst of public agitation to ban VDUs.

Trinidad depends on the revenue from vacation rentals to support city services since it started licensing short-term rentals in 2004. That year, there were 18 VDUs on the books that brought

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Trinidad City Clerk Gabriel Adams.

For Rent

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in $26,621 in Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT). In 2014, with 39 short-term rentals licensed by the city, officials decided it was past time to develop regulations.

After adopting a new VDU ordinance last spring, the city council almost immediately adopted an "emergency" moratorium on licenses so city staff could put the new regulations in place. That has gone much slower than anyone wants. So far, 28 of 38 existing VDUs have been inspected and licensed, with the others pending or on "standby" for various reasons, says City Clerk Gabe Adams.

Clearly, tourism and vacation rentals constitute a growth industry for Trinidad. Last year, the city took in nearly $131,000 in taxes from VDUs — about 24 percent of the city's annual budget — and this year's income will top $138,325, says Adams.

Residents understand that the income from vacationers is valuable, and it's not that the town doesn't like showing off its coast to visitors. But some are increasingly vocal in their resentment of the visitors who invade their neighborhoods to rent what used to be private homes next door. "I don't know these people, and that makes me uncomfortable," says Gail Kenny, a longtime Ocean Avenue homeowner.

> "I don't know these people, and that makes me uncomfortable. Now we live next to a hotel room."
>
> — Gail Kenny

"Now we live next to a hotel room."

Mara Parker doesn't live in Trinidad proper, but she and her Westhaven neighbors consider themselves Trinidadians. Although the city's regulations won't affect Parker, she and others living outside city limits are paying close attention to a process that may become a countywide template.

"The peace and quiet of this small town is being sold off to the vacation rental profiteers," Parker wrote a letter published in the *Times-Standard* and posted on her Facebook page, "Save Westhaven from Vacation Rentals and Corporate Greed." Parker and her neighbors have complained online about problems with "illegal" vacation rentals in Westhaven, ranging from drunken parties and speeding cars to fires and noise, and about a general lack of oversight from the county, which collects business taxes from VDUs but has no short-term rental ordinance or enforcement policy.

"Vacation rentals are businesses and are not zoned to operate in residential areas," Parker wrote. "Yet they have popped up uncontrolled like voracious weeds in Humboldt County and have taken over

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Kathleen Lake, the Ocean Avenue resident who quit the planning commission in October after rental manager Mike Reinman threatened a lawsuit, supports a ban on all short-term vacation rentals in Trinidad neighborhoods.

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neighborhoods like the bullies they are."

That's a refrain heard up and down the California coast as many communities scramble to put the brakes on the rise of Airbnb and other online vacation rental websites.

Residents' rancor is not aimed so much at the vacationers — although everyone living near the short-term rentals has stories about loud parties, trash, parking and traffic problems and late-night run-ins with inebriated visitors. They don't even blame the absentee owners of the rental houses, really.

Rather, VDU opponents like Tom Davies and Kathleen Lake, who live across Ocean Avenue from the Coxes, focus their criticism on the two entities they say are responsible for an increasingly bad situation: the vacation rental managers and Trinidad city officials, who they say have buckled to economic interests and let the problem get out of control.

"Living sandwiched between short-term vacation rentals for the past 10 years has been hell for us as Trinidad citizens," Lake and Davies wrote in a recent letter to the Trinidad Planning Commission.

Four of the 15 houses on Ocean Avenue are short-term rentals. The narrow street is constantly lined with parked cars. Lake and Davies have become leaders of the Anti-VDU movement, embodied in their Facebook page, "Saving Trinidad Neighborhoods." In an October letter to the editor of the *Mad River Union* titled "Respect Trinidad's General Plan," Lake called for a ban on all VDUs, arguing that short-term rentals violate the city's existing code by "commercializing" residential neighborhoods.

On the other side are the absentee owners of homes that are paid for in part by vacation rental fees, and — especially — the rental managers who work for them. Redding attorney Walter P. McNeill represents a group called "PORT" — Property Owners of Rentals in Trinidad. Appearing at the Nov. 4 planning commission hearing, McNeill reassuringly told commissioners, "I am not here to threaten you with litigation," and urged city officials to commission a comprehensive study of the VDU issues. But at another planning commission meeting earlier this month, McNeill ratcheted the rhetoric up when he told the commissioners the VDU moratorium was illegal in the first place, and that the hearing on a VDU cap could be legally actionable.

"My clients strongly object to both the present moratorium and any proposed 'cap' on vacation dwelling units," McNeill wrote in a November letter to the city, referring to the proposed cap as "a solution in search of a problem that doesn't exist."

The city was overacting, McNeill said, "to a sort of xenophobic fear expressed by a vocal minority of residents that VDUs might somehow 'take over the town.'"

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One of four VDUs on Ocean Avenue, a street of small lots and 15 homes in just over one-tenth of a mile.

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But McNeill and the pro-VDU forces were disappointed on Dec. 3, when the planning commission for the first time formally "expressed a consensus" in support of a VDU cap. The commissioners also asked staff to come back with proposals to combat density issues, such as the "clustering" of VDUs on Ocean Avenue.

Stuck in the middle of this debate are the embattled volunteer members of Trinidad's city council and planning commission. The growing rancor and litigious threats are clearly on the minds of city officials. There has to be a middle ground, say Mayor Julie Fulkerson and Planning Commission chairman Mike Pinske.

Lake, who's outspoken in her opposition to any VDUs in Trinidad and disappointed in city leadership, first tried to work within the system. The 14-year Trinidad resident joined the planning commission in May, in part to work on the short-term rental "problem," only to resign suddenly in October, the day before a scheduled a public hearing on a VDU cap. The reason for her resignation, she says: Mike Reinman, owner of Redwood Coast Vacation Rentals, accused her in a letter to the city of "a clear conflict of interest," and threatened to sue her and the city if she did not recuse herself from VDU deliberations.

"This kind of bullying by short-term rental supporters is common across the country, and cannot be tolerated," Lake and Davies said in an open letter to the city. If anything, the tactic backfired, as Lake and Davies stepped up their organizing in support of a ban on VDUs in residential zones.

Lacking a ban, opponents want to cap short-term rentals at the current number, continue the moratorium on new VDU licenses, and move them out of residential zones, which is pretty much all of Trinidad. VDUs have been a "creeping" problem for years, they say. The city's general plan does not permit businesses like vacation rentals in residential zones anyway, they argue. And no one is enforcing the rules — or common courtesy — which forces residents to police their own neighborhoods and confront short-term renters who are acting badly, or property owners who are out of compliance.

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> — *Walter P. McNeill*

Although the anti-VDU forces are more vocal, not everyone is opposed to vacation rentals; most locals understand the town, once supported by fishing, now depends largely on tourism. The most adamant supporters

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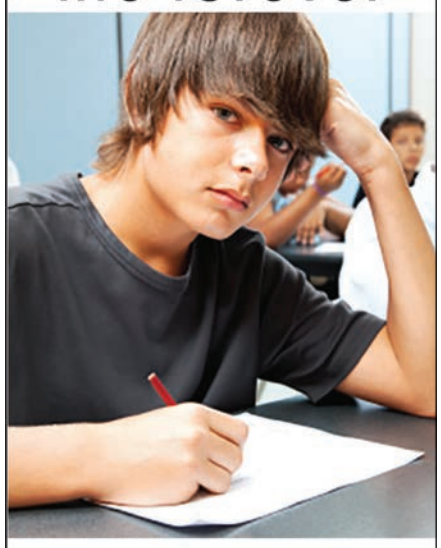
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Early on a December morning, Ocean Avenue is quiet and its vacation rentals are empty.

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are the absentee property owners, and rental managers like Reinman and Jonna Kitchen of Trinidad Retreats, whose two agencies represent 14 of Trinidad's VDUs. Reinman's Redwood Coast Vacation Rentals handles more than 80 properties from Garberville to Orick to Willow Creek.

Property owners argue that renting their places is the very mechanism that permitted them to buy expensive Trinidad real estate in the first place. One of those who spoke at last week's public hearing quoted a property owner who explained his financial strategy: "I bought in a VDU market, and I'm going to charge VDU rental rates," which describes part of what's happened to home prices in the Trinidad area. This week, a random search of the real estate website Zillow showed 10 Trinidad homes for sale at an average of $600,000, ranging from $345,000 for a 720-square-foot Big Lagoon cottage to a 1,700-square-foot oceanfront home for $1.1 million.

Some VDU owners purchased their properties with the intent of retiring there eventually. Karen McCarter of Ashland, Oregon, bought her Ocean Avenue house for $499,000 in 2009, just down the block from Lake and Davies. She plans to live there when she retires.

In a letter to the Planning Commission, McCarter explained that she decided to switch to short-term rentals after long-term renters had turned her house into a "major cannabis operation." Vacationers, she reasoned, would do less damage to her property — and to the street — than unsavory long-term tenants.

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>
> — *Karen McCarter*

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Local realtor Sue Forbes agrees. In an Oct. 16 letter to the city council, Forbes said VDUs are not the issue. The real problem, she wrote, is a lack of public safety and a failure by the city to enforce the laws already on the books.

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Homes are cheek-by-jowl in Trinidad, geographically the smallest incorporated city in California, so residents are sensitive to transient vacationers next door.

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"Consider if we focused on eliminating the increased crime, vandalism, homelessness and the lack of sensible security and protection for all," she said, voicing a common complaint in a town that got rid of its own police department in 2010, and depends on part-time coverage by a single Humboldt County sheriff's deputy.

Further, Forbes argued, the city doesn't have the right to "restrict" property owners' rights, although others disagree, pointing to a wide array of standard local regulation ranging from signage to safety codes.

Kitchen, of Trinidad Retreats, points to a survey of 288 Humboldt County residents that found widespread support — 70 percent — for short-term rentals as an economic engine countywide. The September phone survey, conducted by Southwest Voter Research, found that only 12 percent of respondents thought short-term rentals should be banned, while 72 percent supported regulation.

One of the things about the whole debate that most pains longtime residents on both sides is how much rancor the issue has stirred up and, perhaps even more than that, how their little town has changed.

"I used to know everyone on my street," says Planning Commission Chair Mike Pinske, who lives at the end of Underwood Drive. Two homes directly across the street from him have recently sold, one is a VDU with a history of loud parties on the large upper deck that directly faces Pinske's house.

Ocean Avenue resident Gail Kenny agrees. "I have definitely seen the flavor of the town change," she said. "I like knowing who my neighbors are. I have no complaints about vacation renters, but I don't know these people."

Dan Cox, the Trinidad crab fisherman who lives next door to the Kennys on Ocean Avenue, says his street has gone nuts. "I'm getting political," he said as he recently settled in for another lengthy Town Hall meeting. "I already feel like I'm overtaxed and overregulated, so I don't want to come here and ask for more. But I want this town back the way it used to be."

VDU owner Barbara Wright, who has lived in Trinidad for 30 years, says that's a dream. "Trinidad will never be the little family town it once was many, many years ago," she wrote in a letter to the editor. "We support [both] the concept of VDUs, and the concept of our town not becoming just another rental location. We just ask that everyone be open to all sides of this issue and not let their emotions determine outcomes."

That's what former real estate agent Patti Fleschner hopes, too. She remembers the uproar in the mid-1980s, when the Trinidad B&B was proposed. "There was much vociferous outrage at the time about motorcycle gangs, etc., taking over the town," if tourism was encouraged, she says. "The vacation dwelling unit issue will sort itself out when neighbors and visitors are courteous and thoughtful toward each other," she said. "They can and will be."

Maybe so, says Cox in his Ocean Avenue living room, thinking back to the Trinidad of his boyhood. "I'd just like to start all over." ●

Ted Pease (tedpeasemedia@gmail.com) *considers himself a "Trinidaddy," even though his house is not inside city limits. He, his wife and their dogs rented houses all over Trinidad for years before buying their home in 2004.*

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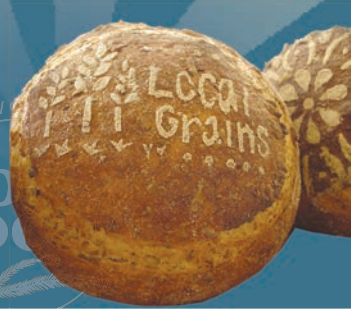
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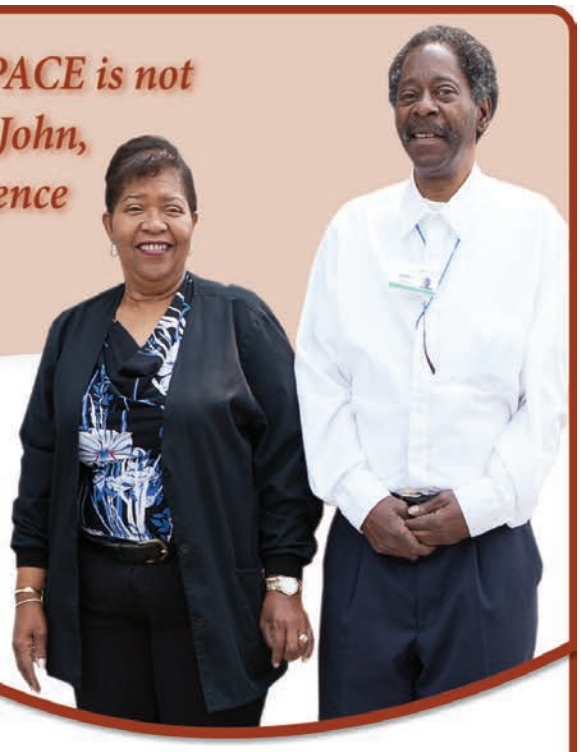
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The *Card Show* at the Sanctuary

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This month, the brain trust behind the 2-year-old Arcata arts collective/alternative space/social experiment known as the Sanctuary debuts its 2015 *Card Show*, which brings together unique sets of playing cards created by 12 mostly local visual artists. Its Friday opening is the latest renewal of a card-themed event series initiated in Eureka about 15 years ago by local arts collective Empire Squared, founded in 2001. So it represents a kind of supergroup collaboration involving members of two local arts powerhouses — one established, the other relatively new.

The Sanctuary, an arts nonprofit headquartered in a former women's club on Arcata's J Street, celebrates its second anniversary on Dec. 22, "on the solstice," according to recently appointed arts director Cyrus Smith.



The fierce and delicate "Ace," by Patrick Vincent.
Courtesy of the artist

Sanctuary founders Katie Belknap and Solomon Lowenstein III describe the space as "a playground for creative action and artful living ... a space dedicated to making and experiencing art in community." The collective produces gallery exhibitions, education programs, community events and a very active live music program. Resources include a printmaking lab, ceramics studio, food garden, communal kitchen, metal workshop, textiles workshop and stage. "If you drew the Venn diagram of Sanctuary people and Empire Squared people, there'd be a lot of overlap," Smith observed.

The 2015 *Card Show* includes work by Empire Squared co-founders Donovan Clark, Rachel Grusin, Jeremy Hara and Forest Stearns, as well as works by the Sanctuary's co-founder Katie Belknap, its print lab manager Katy Warner, painter Brandon White and Arcata native Luke Forsyth.

This is a homecoming of sorts for Smith, who exhibited in one of the first card shows in 2003 and has contributed work this year as well. Smith, a Humboldt State University grad and area resident between 1998 and 2004, recently returned to Humboldt to direct the Sanctuary's visual arts programming.

This show stays true to the playful spirit of past incarnations, even as it opens the concept to new interpretations. Show Organizers Belknap and Smith have staged not just an exhibition but a whimsical multimedia event cycle that goes well beyond the expectations evoked by the no-frills title.

Pieces challenge ideas about the dynamics of play. Cards become the point of departure for flights of fancy that surpass the limits of the usual materials and formats. The mood is celebratory, and the overall effect might be described as whimsical-bordering-on-anarchic.

Minnesota printer Lauren Kenney has made a deck of cards that features hard-edged forms in tie-die rainbow colors against black backgrounds. The result is both louche and accessibly fabulous.

Jeremy Hara's card set features graffiti-inspired images featuring multiple levels

of inscription. Hara has developed multiple, graffiti-writing alter egos, and here he turns them loose to play.

Patrick Vincent's cards approach delicate unicorn imagery with an arch sensibility. Image complexity evolves with card value: lower value cards feature standard-issue unicorns while higher value cards feature multi-horned mythological beasts that become more frightening and less familiar as they grow increasingly complex.

Local farmer, artist and Sanctuary board member Carissa Clark contributes 52 small 3-D assemblages — hard to play poker with, but easy on the eyes. Built around blocks of repurposed wood, these pocket-sized sculptures feature eclectically sourced materials, including collaged images, bones, bits of playing cards and the artist's own baby teeth.



Wood, bones and teeth are in the cards for assemblages by Carissa Clark. *Courtesy of the artist*

Perhaps the most unconventional playing cards featured here are in the "interactive musical board game" created by musicians Daniel Nickerson and Jonathan Kipp, a.k.a. the Sanctuary Furniture Ensemble. This highly social, genre-busting multimedia extravaganza promises to spur viewers' creativity by blurring the usual boundaries between audience and performer.

Game cards issue instructions that refer to sound installations located around the space, and players move from one station to another. At each station, participants interact with other players to activate prerecorded music: Guitar amps, hand recorders and old CD boomboxes play important roles.

"All the pre-recorded tracks are based on the same chord structure and melody, stretched out and distorted," Smith explained. This shared structure ensures that when tracks are overlaid, it's unlikely to be complete cacophony. Still, serendipity is going to play a major role in these proceedings.

Since the game is all about improvisation and spontaneity, it is impossible to predict how participants will order and layer the sounds, and impossible to predict the character of the resulting music. Players on Friday night can expect a three-hour-long, chance-driven sound event that will be unpredictable, unrepeatable and totally unique. "I can tell you that the I Ching has been a source of inspiration," Smith laughed. "And also balloons are going to play an important role."

Card Show revives the improvisational spirit of multimedia art movements of the 1960s, including Fluxus events and "happenings." But the curators' emphasis on participation, collectivity and local community seems highly contemporary — it's in keeping with the "think globally, act locally" ethos of new regionalism sparking artists' groups in American cities small and large since the dawn of the digital era.

The show also highlights the hallmarks of the Sanctuary's approach to arts programming: collaboration, community engagement, DIY aesthetics and a commitment to innovation founded in self-sufficiency and craft. According to Smith, the key element of the institution's mission is "keeping things local. We are always mindful of the need to engage with and respond to the immediate community."

For example, he cites the Sanctuary's long-running Taco Tuesday community meal series, which is hosted by a rotating cast of Sanctuary residents and associates and has functioned for many as a kind of gateway drug to social praxis.

"It's not always the same people, but there's always a continuous thread," Smith said. "We try to keep the process of creating art a fluid and responsible process, incorporating opportunities for interaction and feedback at every stage. It's an exciting process."

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December's Arts! Arcata holiday celebration features free horse-drawn carriage rides from Arcata Main Street, Arcata's antique fire truck with live music on board, visits with Santa and Mrs. Claus as they explore downtown Arcata, live music on the Plaza, plus many other activities. Jacoby's Storehouse has a spectacular 24-foot Grand Tree, with music by the AHS Madrigal Singers, ArMack Jazz Band and several small ensembles.`

ARCATA ARTISANS *883 H St.* "Best of Show," Joyce Jonté and Dana Ballard, paintings; Libby George and Patricia Sennott, print making; Jim Lowry, photography; and Betsy Roberts, metalwork.

ARCATA EXCHANGE *813 H St.* Carla Newton, multimedia; music by Mad River Rounders; wine pour benefits Arcata House.

REDWOOD REALTY *655 Ninth St.* Nancy Rehg, succulent growing art and rustic wood furniture; Julie Costello, holiday crafts.

BUBBLES *1031 H St.* Music by Clean Livin'.

FATBÖL CLOTHING *1063 H St.* Hosted by NAC ONE. Featuring turntablist, DJ M.

FIRE ARTS CENTER *520 S G St.* Holiday sale and show, pottery and glass.

GALLERY MÈTIER *1034 H St.* "Humboldt Humans," Bob Doran, portraits and an instant portrait studio. Live music. Wine pour benefits the Humboldt Skate Park.

GARDEN GATE *905 H St.* Rick Tolley; music by Compost Mountain Boys; wine pour benefits Friends of the Library.

GLOBAL VILLAGE GALLERY *973 H St.* Issac Bluefoot, paintings, prints, mandalas and tree houses.

HUMBREWS *856 10th St.* Christina Lastra, paintings.

JACOBY'S STOREHOUSE *780 Eighth St.* "Art Jam," Arcata Arts Institute student creations for the holiday season.

LIBATION WINE BAR AND SHOP *761 Eighth St #1* Steve Lemme; music by Duncan Burgess.

MOONRISE HERBS *826 G St.* "Reflexions," Rob Hampson, paintings. Music by Jay Kaminski.

PLAZA *808 G St.* Allison Curtis, acrylic on wood and canvas; wine pour benefits Devon's Vision.

REDWOOD CURTAIN *550 S G St.* "Cheers More Beers," Drano, drawings.

REDWOOD YOGURT *1573 G St.* Arcata Arts Institute Student Show.

SACRED EMPIRE *853 H St.* Handmade designs by Jessi Sader of FXDressed.

SANCTUARY *1301 J St.* Sets of playing cards by 12 visual artists, Katie Belknap, Lauren Kinney, Patrick Vincent, Katy Warner, et al. Music by The Sanctuary Furniture Ensemble.

THE SHOP *939 Eighth* St. Group photography show.

T'S CAFÉ NORTH *860 10th St.* Art by Linda Erickson, Curtis Otto and Jill Faulkner; music by the Undercovers.

UPSTAIRS GALLERY AT UMPQUA BANK *1063 G St.* "Season of Light," Gina Tuzzi, Sarah Lesher, Nicole Kita, Jesse Wiedel, Thrn Brooks, Brent Eviston, Libby George, Patricia Sennott, John King, Regina Case, Jim McVicker, Terry Oates, D'mise, Natalie Craig, Phyllis Barba, Jeff Cross, Rachel Schlueter, Stock Schlueter, Blake Reagan, Sonny Wong, Shawn Griggs, Andrei Hedstrom, Guy Joy, David White, Amy Granfield, Lita Penkova, David Safire, Marceau Verdiere, Ana, Amezcua and Georgia Long. Music by Wrye.

WILDBERRIES PATIO *747 13th St.* Ellie Earle-Rouse, inked drawings.

ZEN *1091 H St.* Sexi Seaweed. ●



Ellie Earle-Rouse, inked drawings at Wildberries.



Buttery, tart and bittersweet — no toppings needed.
Photo by Andrea Juarez

Berries with Bounce

Fresh Cranberry Chocolate Scones

By Andrea Juarez
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A warm scone is comforting when the temperature dips and the sky is more gray than not. It gets even better when the scone has fresh cranberries and chocolate. During cranberry season, I sub the fresh version for the dried or jellied kind in my recipes because nothing can compare to the bright, tart berries.

Close relatives of blueberries, lingonberries and cowberries, cranberries can be tested for firmness by their bounce, which explains why they are also referred to as "bounceberries." So get them while they're bouncing.

Scones originate with the culinary fare of Scotland, Ireland and England and are linked to the Welsh tradition of cooking small yeast cakes on bake stones and griddles. Originally, scones were made with oats, shaped into a large round that was cut into wedges. These days, classic scones are made with flour and currants or raisins, and are eaten plain or smeared with clotted cream or preserves. And they certainly are lovely with a cup of tea or coffee any time of day.

This recipe for fresh cranberry chocolate scones is a departure from traditional scones, but one that's sure to please. The red speckled scone is a favorite during the holidays, especially for brunch. It's gorgeous but also a perfect combo of chocolate chunks and tart cranberries — a combo I adore. Eat them plain — no cream, preserves or butter necessary.

One other fact I must mention: Scones are best when freshly baked. The recipe below makes a dozen or 16 wedges. If you want to freeze some to bake later, see the instructions about flash-freezing below.

Fresh Cranberry Chocolate Scones

Makes 16

Fresh cranberries make these scones stand out, although they are also delicious using dried berries. Coarsely chop cranberries — do not over chop by hand or by food processor. It's a nice surprise to the palate to get a chunk of fruit.

Placing the wedges on the baking sheet will yield different results in the scone texture — put them closer together for softer ones or farther apart if you prefer them crustier.

Ingredients and method:

1 cup fresh cranberries, coarsely chopped (or use ½ cup dried and omit the brown sugar)
2 tablespoons brown sugar
2 ounces dark chocolate, chopped (or ½ cup dark bittersweet chocolate chips)
2 cups all-purpose flour
⅓ cup sugar
1 tablespoon baking powder

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½ teaspoon salt
6 tablespoons cold unsalted butter, cut into pieces
1 egg, beaten
½ cup heavy cream
1 egg white
Flour for dusting surface

1 tablespoon sugar, for sprinkling

Heat oven to 400 degrees.

Coarsely chop the cranberries by hand or use a food processor. In a small bowl, add the cranberries and brown sugar; stir to coat and set them aside. Coarsely chop the chocolate (unless you're using chips) and set it aside.

In a large bowl (or in a food processor), whisk or pulse the flour, sugar, baking powder and salt. Cut in the butter with a pastry blender or two knives, until the largest pieces of butter are the size of small peas and the mixture resembles coarse meal. (Transfer to a large bowl if you're using a processor.) Add the cranberries and chocolate.

In a separate small bowl, whisk the egg and mix in the heavy cream. With a fork, add the egg mixture to the flour mixture and stir them until just combined — barely starting to form a ball. Dump this onto a lightly floured surface and with flour-dusted hands divide it into 2 balls. Lightly pat each into rounds about 1 inch thick, 6 inches in diameter. (Avoid adding extra flour and overworking the dough and your scones will be lighter).

Cut each round into 6 or 8 wedges. Brush them with egg white and sprinkle lightly with sugar. Using a large spatula, carefully transfer the wedges to a baking sheet. For softer sided scones, leave the wedges in a round shape and separate them by ¼ inch (the sides will not be as golden when cooked). For crustier scones, separate the wedges on the baking sheet by 1 ½ inches.

Bake for about 15 to 18 minutes, until the tops of the scones turn lightly golden. Watch carefully to make sure the bottoms do not overcook. Serve fresh from the oven and store in an airtight container.

Freezing unbaked scones: Place cut wedges uncovered on a cookie sheet in the freezer for about 2 hours. Once they are firm, put them in a freezer bag and return them to the freezer. When you're ready to bake, let the frozen scones sit on the kitchen counter uncovered while the oven heats. Place the scones onto a fresh sheet of parchment paper and bake, adding an additional 3 to 5 minutes — watch closely the final few minutes. ●

Andrea Juarez has additional recipes on her food anthropology blog ForkFingersChopsticks.com.

Hearth Warming

Little Women the Musical and *The Cricket on the Hearth*

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Hey, Jo. Kuzelka sings it out as Alcott's heroine.
Courtesy of Ferndale Repertory Theatre

Louisa May Alcott's iconic 1860s-era novel *Little Women* may seem an unlikely choice for a musical, but one person's impossible task is another's irresistible challenge. Much in the vein of the admonition that one chooses to go to the moon not because it is easy, but because it is hard, Alcott's oft-adapted *künstlerroman* found its way to the Broadway stage in 2005, and this month Ferndale Rep ambitiously has another go at a story familiar to millions.

The tale of the four March sisters — Jo, Meg, Beth and Amy — in Massachusetts in the years during and following the Civil War, is one that has a scrappy, all-American grace in its clearly autobiographical basis. Additionally, in the way it views the challenges and progress of its characters, it stood out in its time and has lasted through to this day with what was then called a particularly "modern" view of its female protagonists.

Jo March (portrayed serendipitously by Jo Kuzelka), is the stand-in for Alcott herself, one of the two sisters who work to support their mother (Tina Toomata). Kuzelka has an outstanding voice, one that shines in some of the show's more memorable numbers — the first act closer "Astonishing," as well as "The Fire Within Me" — and she is ably helped by her supporting cast. As a story on the page or on the stage, Little Women has a lot of moving parts and character development aplenty, and all on hand are worthy to the task.

But here's the rub: So much of what worked famously in Alcott's prose can come across as rushed and perfunctory when put through the motions of even an above-average musical. What in fact does work in the play's favor are scenes that employ the machinations of musical theater, such as the vivid, dreamily imaginative number that starts the second act, "The Weekly Volcano Express," or how well the fate of Beth (a notably good Jessi Shieman) is handled both musically and visually.

The set design by Raymond Gutierrez is remarkable, and Lydia Foreman and Kate Newby's fine period costumes rise to the occasion for all two-plus hours. All told, Little Women's power as an enduring 19th century American tale, along with the good work onstage and backstage at FRT, at times manages to withstand the other historical force that works against it: The notion of "say, imagine this, only as a musical ..."

Little Women the Musical plays at **Ferndale Repertory Theatre through Dec. 20** with Friday and Saturday shows at 8 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday matinees at 2 p.m. Call 786-5483 or visit www.ferndalerep.org.

— David Jervis

The Cricket on the Hearth was the third of five Christmas stories published by Charles Dickens in the 1840s (*A Christmas Carol* was the first). By all accounts, it was popular, with 17 stage productions in 1845 alone, but has since been eclipsed by its predecessor. So we're fortunate Half Dollar Holler chose to bring it back to life, co-adapted with original music by Carlene and Anthony Cogliati and now playing at Redwood Curtain Theatre.

Where *A Christmas Carol* channels Dickens' passion for social justice, *Cricket* is much more of a feel-good Christmas story. John Peerybingle (Daniel Kennedy), a carrier for local manufacturer Mr. Tackleton (Ellsworth Pence), gives a hooded stranger (Joey Lawrence) a ride to the village where he lives with his wife Mary (Amanda Wood) and baby daughter, played stoically by a plastic replica — a good choice considering the clumsiness of the Peerybingles' maid, Tilly Slowboy (Denise Ryles). Meanwhile, Mary's long-lost friend May Fielding (Elizabeth Holverson) and her mother (Gloria Montgomery) return to the village from London for a surprise wedding and to catch up with their other old friends, Caleb Plumber (Bob Beideman) a toymaker for Mr. Tackleton, and his blind daughter (Kendyll Rogers).

Mr. Tackleton has agreed to keep Mrs. Fielding out of debtors' prison in exchange for her hand in marriage, in order to produce an heir to take over his business. But his attention turns to May, who is still carrying a torch for her long-lost (and presumed dead) fiancé Edward, son of toymaker Caleb. Many misunderstandings and unburdenings of conscience ensue, but a wedding still takes place — just not the one anyone expected — and everyone lives happily ever after.

The characters of the cricket, guardian of constancy and love, and the other household spirits Dickens envisioned overseeing the human participants in the tale get rather lost in this ambitious production, to the extent that their appearances are more confusing than enlightening. However, they do provide a useful chorus-like role as the play's musicians, and are cleverly incorporated into the set via a mezzanine level constructed above the stage.

While not a Redwood Curtain Theatre production, several of the performers have been seen on other North Coast stages. Most turn in solid acting and singing, but the English accents are clearly a problem for some, ranging over many regions; performances improve significantly for those who instead revert to their normal speaking voices. The set and lighting are well designed and effective.

All-in-all, *The Cricket on the Hearth* delivers two hours of holiday cheer that will have you, like several of my fellow attendees, humming Christmas songs as you leave.

Redwood Curtain Theatre hosts ***Cricket on the Hearth*** now **through Dec. 13** with 8 p.m. shows on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Call 443-7688 or visit www.redwoodcurtain.com.

— Pat Bitton

Continuing

You can still enjoy a fresh/old-timey take on a classic with the entertaining and sharply timed ***It's a Wonderful Life Live Radio Play*** at **North Coast Repertory Theatre through Dec. 12**, with Thursday, Friday and Saturday shows at 8 p.m. and a Sunday matinee on Dec. 6. See www.ncrt.net or call 442-6278.

More holiday fun takes the stage at the **Arcata Playhouse** with ***The Bigfoot Lodge Holiday Radio Hour*** **through Dec. 12**, with 8 p.m. performances on Fridays and Saturdays, and a 2 p.m. show on Dec. 12. The variety show features guest bands, choirs and puppets to keep you laughing. Visit www.arcataplayhouse.org or call 822-1575.

Humboldt State University's all-female cast takes on roles of men and women in the backstage send-up ***Anton in Show Business*** **through Dec. 13** at the **Gist Hall Theatre**. Shows start at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Friday and Saturday with a 2 p.m. matinee on Dec. 13. Visit HSUStage.blogspot.com or call 826-3928.

Dell'Arte's touring holiday show ***Li'l Red in the Redwoods*** brings its sweetly Humboldt take on the fairy tale that entertains young and old alike around the county and beyond. More information on showtimes and locations at www.dellarte.com or by calling 668-5663. ●

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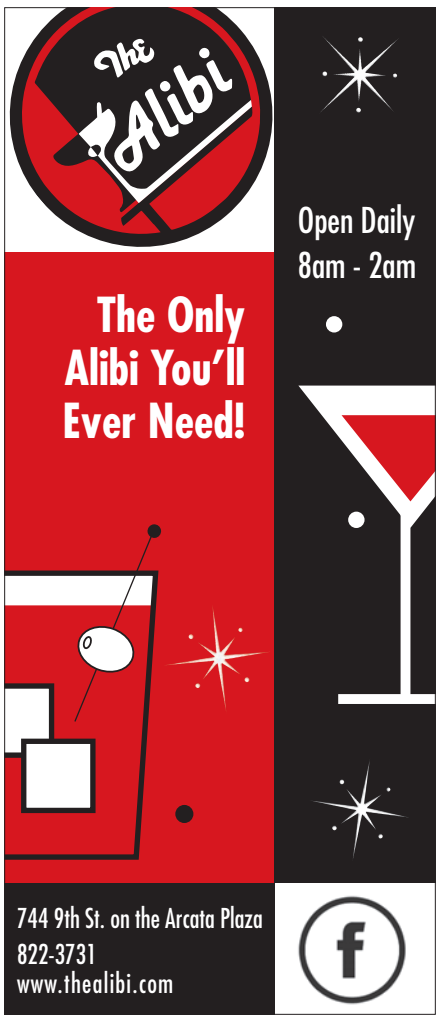

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BLONDIES 822-3453 420 E. California Ave., Arcata	Open Mic 7pm Free			Jazz Jam 6pm Free	[M] Quiz Night 7:30pm Free [W] Local Music Showcase 7pm Free
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BEAR RIVER CASINO 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta 733-9644	Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free	NightHawk (pop, rock dance) 9pm Free	Blue Rhythm Revue (blues) 9pm Free		
CALICO'S CAFE 923-2253 808 Redwood Drive, Garberville			Frisky Brisket (violin, guitar) 7pm Free	Jen Tal and The HuZBand (acoustic duo) 6:30pm Free	
CHAPALA CAFÉ 201 Second St., Eureka 443-9514		The Tumbleweeds (cowboy) 6pm Free	The Tumbleweeds (cowboy) 6pm Free		
CURLEY'S FULL CIRCLE 460 Main St., Ferndale 786-9696					[W] Open Mic Night 7pm Free
DOUBLE D STEAK 415 Fifth St., Eureka 798-6498		Anna Hamilton (blues) 6pm Free			
EUREKA INN PALM LOUNGE 518 Seventh St., 497-6093	Brian Post & Friends (jazz) 6pm Free Salsa 9pm Free				[T] Anna Banana (blues comedy) 8pm Free [W] Comedy Open Mikey 9pm Free
EUREKA THEATER 612 F St., 442-2970		Li'l Red in the Redwoods (theater) 7:30pm Free	Va Va Voom Revue 8:30pm $25, $15		
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GALLAGHER'S IRISH PUB 139 Second St., Eureka 442-1177	Seabury Gould and Evan Morden (Irish) 6pm Free	Pappa Paul (folk) 6pm Free	Tony Roach (croons standards) 5:30pm Free	Open Irish/Celtic Music Session 3pm Free	
LIL' RED LION 1506 Fifth St., Eureka 444-1344			Karaoke w/DJ Will 9pm Free	Karaoke w/DJ Will 8pm Free	[T] Pool Tournament 7pm $5
OLD TOWN COFFEE & CHOC. 211 F St., Eureka 445-8600					[W] Open Mic w/Mike Anderson 7pm Free
PEARL LOUNGE 507 Second St., Eureka 444-2017	Dirty Thursdays w/Gabe Pressure (DJ music) 9pm Free	D'Vinity (DJ music) 10pm Free	Itchie Fingaz (DJ music) 10pm Free		
PERSIMMONS GALLERY 1055 Redway Dr., Redway 923-2748	Vanessa's Jewelry Trunk Show 7pm	Jazz Trio & Michael Curran and Holly Sweet book reading 7pm Free			







Sallie Ford plays Thursday, Dec. 10 at Humboldt Brews. $15.
Photo courtesy of the artist.

VENUE	THUR 12/10	FRI 12/11	SAT 12/12	SUN 12/13	M-T-W 12/14-16
ROSE'S BILLIARDS 535 Fifth St., Eureka 497-6295		Ultra Class Fridays (DJ music) 10pm Free			[T] 8 Ball Open BCA Tournament 7:30pm $10
SHAMUS T BONES 191 Truesdale St., Eureka 407-3550		Friday Night Vibes (DJ music) 10pm Free	Saturday Nightlife w/Accurate Productions 10:30pm Free		
THE SHANTY 213 Third St., Eureka 444-2053			SantaCon (costumed bar crawl) Noon		
SHOOTERS OFF BROADWAY 1407 Albee St., Eureka 442-4131		Country & Rock Night w/ Accurate Productions 9pm Free		Karaoke Night w/Accurate Productions 9pm Free	
THE SIREN'S SONG TAVERN 325 Second St., Eureka 442-8778					[M] Phantom Wave Presents: Hardware Test 8pm Free
THE SPEAKEASY 411 Opera Alley, Eureka 444-2244		The Eureka Pizza Council (jazz) 8:30pm Free	Buddy Reed and the Rip It Ups (blues) 10pm Free		[T] The Opera Alley Cats (jazz) 7:30pm Free [W] No Covers and USGGO (jazz) 7pm Free
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Energize

Shows to motivate you through the holiday madness

By Monica Topping
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Beats Antique performs Friday, Dec. 11 and Saturday, Dec. 12 at 9 p.m. at the Arcata Theatre Lounge.
Photo courtesy of the artist.

There's something about those couple of weeks leading up the end of the year, when it seems like half the people you pass on the sidewalk are stressed — holiday shopping and finals will do that to a person — and the other half are excited for Santa, family time and a break from school. As a student, I could procrastinate with the best of 'em (and let's be honest, as a regular workin' Jill, that hasn't really changed), but I often found my motivation to power through in a good, live show; something powerful enough that I could get home afterward and use the leftover energy to bang out a paper, return a handful of emails and make some Christmas presents.

That motivation is coming together Thursday, Dec. 10 at Humboldt Brews, where Sallie Ford and Tacocat are tearing things up. Ford, formerly backed by The Sound Outside, and Tacocat have played locally a handful of times and have quite the following. This time around, Ford is backed by her newer "all girl" band, which released an album called *Slap Back* last year. Most of the tracks are straight-forward, lo-fi rock, great for dancing or swaying, whichever your style. Tacocat also released a new album last year, called *NVM*, which reminds me a lot of some of my favorite bands from the late '90s. The band has a song called "Crimson Wave" (about "that time of the month") that's a crack-up. There's a $15 cover, worth every penny for two fantastic touring bands.

In addition to the ladycentric show at Humbrews, how about two nights of experimental world fusion and electronic music with a world renowned professional belly dancer at the Arcata Theater? Beats Antique has sold out every show it's played in Humboldt over the last six years, according to Matty Roberts from World Famous Productions, and I expect no less for this Friday and Saturday night. "[Beats Antique] usually plays venues much larger than anything in Humboldt," says Roberts, "so it's really nice to experience them in such an intimate setting." The group puts a lot of energy into its stage production, from the stage props, lighting and instrumentation (band geeks will enjoy the clarinet, violin and full drum kit, accompanying the electronic music tools) to belly dancer Zoe Jakes, who performs as part of the ensemble.

Beats Antique will share the stage with west coast hip-hop artist Lafa Taylor on Friday night, and alternative hip-hop producer and DJ Amp Live (he also happens to be half of Zion I) on Saturday. Advance tickets are $25 while they last, and $30 at the door (if they last).

Attention dancers: Jakes, who teaches belly dance around the world, is holding two dance workshops on Saturday at Redwood Raks, in Arcata's Creamery Building. From Noon to 2 p.m., she'll do an "old school belly dance" workshop, then from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., she'll teach pop-lock choreography ("Just what it sounds like!" according to the Facebook event page). Workshops are $35 each, or $60 for both, and reservations are necessary. Email dance@shoshannaland.com or call (707) 616-6876 to secure your spot.

Friday

Arts! Arcata (see full art and music listings on page 32), 6 to 9 p.m. Don't forget to visit Santa in Jacoby's Storehouse!

Jazz Trio with Michael Curran, Jim Wild and Damien Roomets at Persimmons Garden Gallery in Redway, 7 p.m. Curran and Holly Sweet will also do a reading and signing of their new children's joke book, *Just Kidding*. No cover for this family event.

Pink Martini, 8 p.m. at the Van Duzer Theater at HSU. Multilingual, multicultural music spanning Cuban dance music, samba, classical chamber music and more. Tickets are $25 for HSU students, $56 for the general public.

Kingfoot (modern Americana originals by singer Joe King) and Jeff DeMark (a couple of stories and songs with fellow LaPatina Knick Moore) at the Logger Bar in Blue Lake, 9 p.m. No cover on this one (and worth far more, from what I hear!), so tip the bands well.

Saturday

SantaCon Eureka, a Santa-themed bar hop, noon at the Shanty. Come in your best Santa Claus outfit (or best variation thereof). The event will somehow benefit Food for People.

Blue Lake Art Night, 6 to 8 p.m. around the booming, artsy metropolis of Blue Lake. Live music, art and food at businesses. While I haven't received a list of the hot spots, the town isn't very big. Park by Dell'Arte or Mad River Brewery and see where your feet take you.

Va Va Voom Revue: Ophelia Cox's Birthday Soiree and Ho-Ho-Holiday Show featuring world famous burlesque star Jeez Loueez from Chicago and Ophelia Coeur De Noir from the Bay Area, with music by Pressure Anya at the Eureka Theater, 8:30 p.m. Tickets are $15, $12 in advance. A portion of the proceeds benefit the Emma Center and Eureka Theater restoration.

Sunday

Heart of a Dog, a film by Lou Reed's widow, Laurie Anderson, at Richard's Goat Tavern, 5 p.m. Described as a "documentary on love, death and (Anderson's) piano playing rat terrier," and dedicated to Reed. There is a $5 cover. This film will have its final run at Richard's Goat the following Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. The cover is $8 for those two showings.

Monday

John Prine, the songwriter all of the other songwriters claim as an influence, at the Van Duzer Theater, 8 p.m. Tickets are $25 for HSU students or $76 for the general public. NOTE: There were literally FIVE tickets left as of the beginning of this week. They could be yours, if you act quickly! (What a great pre-Christmas present, eh?) ●

Monica Topping has been involved in just about every aspect of the local music scene at some point or another over the last couple decades. It doesn't take much arm twisting to get her out of the house for a show ... as long as she can find a babysitter.

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Don't choose between holiday fun and getting your shopping done. The **Winter Arts Faire** at the **Mateel Community Center** runs **Saturday, Dec. 12** and **Sunday, Dec. 13** from **10 a.m. to 6 p.m.** ($5, free to members) with stories for kiddies, music and food to power you through browsing more than 50 art and craft vendors. Santa's going, and he ought to know.



You're not one of those crazy pet people. You're just having Fluffy photographed with Santa to benefit animals in need, right? The Humboldt Animal Rescue Team raises funds with **Santa Paws** on **Saturday, Dec. 12** from **1 to 3 p.m.** ($5-$10) and **Humboldt Pet Supply**'s photo op supports Companion Animal Foundation on **Sunday, Dec. 13** from **1 to 6 p.m.** ($8).



There's more holiday fun to be had at the **Chanukah Celebration** on **Sunday, Dec. 13** at **4 p.m.** at the **Bayside Grange** ($5). Folks are lighting a menorah, singing songs, dancing to the music of Chubritza and frying up latkes (potato pancakes, in case a low-carb diet has weakened your memory) with sour cream applesauce and all the trimmings. Please, you're in.



Courtesy of Arcata Playhouse

A Little Variety

Take a break from the fireplace channel and head out for some vintage Vaudeville entertainment. Tune in for the *Bigfoot Lodge Holiday Radio Hour* at the **Arcata Playhouse** at **8 p.m.** from **Friday, Dec. 11 through Sunday, Dec. 13** ($12; $10 seniors, veterans and members; $8 kids 12 and under).

Some heavy hitters are signed on, from sets by Lush Newton and James Hildebrandt to Bob Wells and David Ferney paying homage to Laurel and Hardy. And Lord help the mister who comes between Joan Schirle and Jackie Dandeneau singing "Sisters" from *White Christmas* with music by Tim Randles (and if you haven't seen that movie yet, for the love of tinsel watch it before anyone finds out and you end up a casualty in the War on the War on Christmas).

Besides, Sasquatch is set to make an appearance and seeing him on stage is warmer and less socially awkward than staking out a spot in the woods with Bobo. (Sorry, Bobo, but last weekend was weird.) Other guest stars abound, including the Arcata Interfaith Gospel Choir on Friday night, Bandemonium on Saturday and The Brendas on Sunday. You might want to call ahead for tickets so you're not left out of the lodge.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill



Courtesy of KEKA

Bright Lights, Big Rigs

Layer up, fill the thermos with hot cocoa and figure out the nighttime photo option on your phone. It's time for the light-covered convoys of many colors to come rolling through Humboldt. Is this the year you blow the kids' minds by taking them to all three free events? Grinch, it might be.

Warm up your engines in Fortuna on **Friday, Dec. 11** at **6:30 p.m.**, when the **Electric Lighted Truck Parade** takes off from the **Redwood Village Shopping Center**. You'll want to scout out a spot along Main Street early like the pros with folding chairs and lap blankets.

Eureka is next with its **Trucker's Christmas Parade** on **Saturday, Dec. 12**, leaving from **Redwood Acres** at **6 p.m.** Bring warm gloves and wave like mad at all the folks along for the ride, because you are not too cool for this and Santa is watching.

Top off the electric weekend with the farmer-powered **Lighted Tractor Parade** down **Ferndale's Main Street** on **Sunday, Dec. 13** at **6 p.m.** The Deeres and Caterpillars cruise downtown with as much sparkle as those 18-wheelers, so don't miss the heavy machinery light show.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

10 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. Chip in for the live model and hone your artistic skills. Go into the courtyard on C Street to the room on the right. $5. 442-0309.

BOOKS

Thursday Afternoon Book Club. Second Thursday of every month, 12-1 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Fun and lively discussion group focusing on adult fiction and nonfiction. Call ahead for upcoming titles. Free. www.humlib.org. 269-1905.

MUSIC

AM Jazz Band. 8-9:30 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, Humboldt State University, Arcata. Standards by Monk, Coltrane, Billy Strayhorn, Herbie Hancock, Tito Puente and W.C. Handy. $8, $5, HSU students free. www.HSU-Music.blogspot.com.

THEATER

Anton in Show Business. 7:30-10 p.m. Gist Hall Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. Satiric comedy about contemporary American theater, featuring an all-female cast playing characters of both genders. Directed by Rae Robison. $10, $8, HSU students limited free seating. HSUStage.blogspot.com.

The Character Projects. 8 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Share the evening with 10 actor-poets in Dell'Arte's student show as they transform into characters in imagined worlds. Pay what you can. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663.

EVENTS

CR Police Academy Graduation. 1 p.m. New Theater, College of the Redwoods, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, Eureka. Thirty cadets of the 116th class. Free.

FOR KIDS

The Musicians. 10 a.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. Following the fortunes of three characters who find that change is easier to make when everyone comes together. Teachers, make reservations by calling 786-5483 or emailing. Free. www.ferndalerep.org.

Young Discoverers. 10:30 a.m.-noon. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Stories, crafts, songs and dance for children ages 3-5. Call ahead. $5, $3 members. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. www.discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka.

Humboldt Area Foundation Holiday Open House. 3-6 p.m. Humboldt Area Foundation, 363 Indianola Road, Bayside. Enjoy appetizers, dRinks and good cheer. Free. info@hafoundation.org. 442-2993.

***It's a Wonderful Life* Live Radio Play.** 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. The American holiday classic comes to life as a live radio broadcast as performed by a cast in a 1940s radio station. $16, $13.

Li'l Red in the Redwoods. 7-8 p.m. Yurok Tribe Headquarters, 190 Klamath Blvd., Klamath. The Dell'Arte Company's annual all-ages holiday show. A re-imagining

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the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. Free. info@dellarte.com. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663.

Photos with Santa. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Redwood Coast Regional Center, 525 Second St., Eureka. For people with developmental disabilities. RCRC provides each family with a 4x6 photo of their child with Santa along with a special treat. Free for RCRC clients and their families. sbraggs@redwoodcoastrc.org. www.redwoodcoastrc.org. 445-0893.

Winter Gala. 5:30-7:30 p.m. McKinleyville Middle School, 2285 Central Ave. Browse pottery handmade by students. Also silent auction and winter concert by the MMS band. Free. edostal@nohum.k12.ca.us. 839-1508.

MEETINGS

Conservation Meeting. Second Thursday of every month, noon. Golden Harvest Café Arcata, 1062 G St. Participants discuss conservation issues of interest to the Redwood Region Audubon Society. Free. www.goldenharvestcafe.com. 445-8311.

Humboldt Grange 501 Potluck. Second Thursday of every month, 6:30 p.m. Humboldt Grange Hall, 5845 Humboldt Hill Road, Eureka. Grange Women's Auxiliary meets at 6 p.m., potluck at 6:30 p.m., Grange meeting 7:30 p.m. nanettespearschade@gmail.com. www.facebook.com/humboldt.grange. 443-0045.

Redwood Coast Woodturners. Second Thursday of every month, 6-8:30 p.m. McKinleyville Middle School, 2285 Central Ave. All interested in wood turning are welcome. 499-9569. Free.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. Call for hours. 362-5095.

ETC

Cannabis Legalization Workshop. 5:30 p.m. Monument Middle School, 95 Center St., Rio Dell. Speakers include Joey Luiz, Robert Christensen, Paul Gallegos, Luke Bruner, Liesl Finkler and John Ford. Free.

Community Board Game Night. Second Thursday of every month, 7-9 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. Play your favorite games or learn new ones with North Coast Role Playing. Free. oss1ncrp@northcoast.com. www.baysidegrange.org. 444-2288.

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. Join fellow knitters, crocheters, weavers, spinners and fiber artists to socialize and work on projects. 442-9276.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Put your deck to the test. $5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

11 Friday

ART

Arts! Arcata. Second Friday of every month, 6-9 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Art, music and more art. Downtown Arcata and surrounding area. Free. arcatamainstreet@gmail.com. www.arcatamainstreet.com. 822-4500.

LECTURE

Christmas Bird Count Primer. 6:30-9 p.m. Six Rivers Masonic Lodge, 251 Bayside Road, Arcata. Sean McAllister shares history and highlights of Redwood Region Audubon Society's local counts. Potluck at 6:30 p.m. Free. rras.org.

MUSIC

Beats Antique. 9 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Two-night performance. Friday night features Lafa Taylor. $30, $25 advanced, $40 combo. www.worldfamousparty.com.

Pink Martini. 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. The eclectic Portland-based "little orchestra." $56, $25 HSU students. carts@humboldt.edu. www.humboldt.edu/centerarts. 826-3928.

SPOKEN WORD

Iain Macdonald. 7-8:30 p.m. Booklegger, 402 Second St., Eureka. The Scottish-born, Arcata-based poet reads from his new chapbook *The Wrecker's Yard*. Free. 445-1344.

THEATER

Anton in Show Business. 7:30-10 p.m. Gist Hall Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. See Dec. 10 listing.

Little Women Musical. 8-10:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. Based upon Louisa May Alcott's beloved 19th century novel, this musical brings to life the March family through romance, illness and loss. $18, $16, $5 children 8 and under. info@ferndalerep.org. www.ferndalerep.org. 786-5483.

The Character Projects. 8 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See Dec. 10 listing.

EVENTS

Winter in Westhaven. 6-9 p.m. Westhaven Center for the Arts, 501 S. Westhaven Drive. A variety show and family event with crafting, food and beverages and marshmallow roasting. $5, kids free. 502-5737.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

The Bigfoot Lodge Holiday Radio Hour. 8 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. Radio personality Harrison La Blank comes from New York City for a live broadcast of his show. $12, $10, $8 kids 12 and under. 822-1575.

Cricket on the Hearth. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. An all-new musical adapted from a story by Charles Dickens. A perfect holiday treat for the whole family. $20-$10.

Electric Lighted Truck Parade. 6:30 p.m. Redwood Village Shopping Center, 735 S Fortuna Blvd., Fortuna. Watch the truckers, tractors and other vehicles festooned with Christmas lights. Free. 725-3959.

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Holiday Open House. 5-8 p.m. Fortuna Main Street. Enjoy horse-drawn carriage rides, live music, strolling carolers and a community sing-along. Free.

***It's a Wonderful Life* Live Radio Play.** 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Li'l Red in the Redwoods. 7:30-8:30 p.m. Eureka Theater, 612 F St. The Dell'Arte Company's re-imagining the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. Free. info@dellarte.com. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663.

NRLT Holiday Party and Open House. 4-7 p.m. Northcoast Regional Land Trust, 901 Samoa Blvd, Arcata. Join

the Northcoast Regional Land Trust for appetizers and refreshments as they honor Lindsay Green. Free.

The Nutcracker. 8 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. North Coast Dance Studio performs the classic Christmas ballet. $20, $12. www.arkleycenter.com.

SPORTS

BMX Friday. 4:30-6:30 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Practice and racing. Wear long sleeves and pants. $2 practice, $5 ribbon race. www.facebook.com/RedwoodEmpireBmx. 407-9222.

Humboldt Ice Rink. 2016. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen's Pavilion, 9 Park St. Have a blast and get some exercise at the same time. $5.

12 Saturday

ART

Arts on the Avenue. Second Saturday of every month, 6-8 p.m. Eagle Prairie Arts District, 406 Wildwood Ave., Rio Dell. Local artists, artisans, kids' activities and music all along the avenue. Free. www.facebook.com/info.epad/info. 506-5081.

Blue Lake Art Night. Second Saturday of every month, 6-8 p.m. Blue Lake, Off State Route 299 Exit 5. Art, music and food at businesses around town. Free. bluelakestudio239@gmail.com.

Meet the Artist: Wildflower Exhibit. 4-6 p.m. Clarke Historical Museum, Third and E streets, Eureka. Artists and photographers featured in the rotating exhibition, including Dorothy Klein, Annie Reid, Patricia Anne Sennott, Rick Tolley, Ron Johnson and Gordon Schatz. Speakers TBA. Appetizers by Gabriel's Restaurant. www.clarkemuseum.org.

BOOKS

Book Sale. 1-4 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Christmas-themed books for all ages, plus the usual fiction and nonfiction.

LECTURE

My Rio Dell Visit. 6:30 p.m. Rio Dell and Scotia Chamber of Commerce, 406 Wildwood Ave. Jerry Rohde presents a talk about the experiences of travelers to the region who came to visit loved ones over the holidays in an earlier era. Refreshments served. Free.

MOVIES

Kids Holiday Movies. 10 a.m. Fortuna Theatre, 1241 Main St. Kids can enjoy a holiday movie with one accompanying adult. Pick up tickets at participating stores beforehand. No tickets at the theater. For more information, call 725-9261 Free.

MUSIC

Beats Antique. 9 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Saturday night features AMP live. $30, $25 advanced, $40 combo. www.worldfamousparty.com.

HSU Jazz Orchestra Billy Strayhorn Tribute. 8-9:30 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, Humboldt State University, Arcata. Honoring the famed Ellington orchestra composer in his centennial year. $8,$5, children/HSU students free. HSUMusic.blogspot.com.

THEATER

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The Character Projects. 8 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See Dec. 10 listing.

EVENTS

The Emerald Cup. Sonoma County Fairgrounds, 1350 Bennett Valley Road, Santa Rosa. Cannabis industry contests, guest speakers, live music, workshops, vendors, art. See website for prices. www.theemeraldcup.com.

Va Va Voom Revue. 8:30 p.m. Eureka Theater, 612 F St. Ophelia Cox's Birthday Soirée and Ho-Ho-Holiday show w/Jeez Loueeze and Ophelia Coeur de Noir. $15, $12 advance, $25 premier, $25 premier advance. www.theeurekatheater.org.

FOR KIDS

Babies at the Library. Second Saturday of every month, 11 a.m.-noon. Trinidad Library, 380 Janis Court. Songs, rhymes and playtime for children ages 3 months to 2 years. Free. trihuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. 677-0227.

Dad and Me Playgroup. Second Saturday of every month, 10-11:30 a.m. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. A playgroup for male role models and their children, ages 0 to 5. Free. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

Nature Story Time. 2-3 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Join naturalist Karen Mast for Nature Story Time. Geared for ages 3-6, Followed by a simple craft project. Call for reservation. Free. info@friendsofthedunes.org. www.friendsofthedunes.org/news. 444-1397.

Story Time. Every other Saturday, 11 a.m. Rio Dell Library, 715 Wildwood Ave. Join us for stories, songs, and games for early readers and parents. Free. riohumml@co.humboldt.ca.us. 764-3333.

FOOD

Winter Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Farm fresh produce, rain or shine. On G and Eighth streets. Free. outreach@humfarm.org. www.humfarm.org. 441-9999.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Studio Sale. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Thimbleberry Threads Studio, 4460 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Browse local arts and crafts, a raffle and refreshments. Free. kabat@humboldt1.com. 839-3831.

AIGC Holiday Concert. 7 p.m. Arcata Presbyterian Church, 670 11th St. Arcata Interfaith Gospel Choir adds the Hallelujah Chorus to the annual show. $15, $12 suggested donation, free for kids under 5.

The Bigfoot Lodge Holiday Radio Hour. 2 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. See Dec. 11 listing.

Children's Holiday Gift Making Workshop. 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Church of the Joyful Healer, 1944 Central Avenue, McKinleyville. Children create low-cost Christmas gifts as an alternative to shopping. Santa visits, too. Free. 839-5691.

Cricket on the Hearth. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Holiday Castles & Graham Cracker Houses. 10:30 a.m.-noon & 1-2:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Share stories and take home a holiday decoration that tastes great. Call to preregister. $15, $20 for non-Arcata residents. rec@cityofarcata.org. www.cityofarcata.org/rec. 822-7091.

Holiday Craft Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Peruse unique handcrafted items from over 50 artisans. Enjoy live music, local food and holiday cheer. $1 donation. hstevens@cityofarcata.org; rec@cityofarcata.org. www.cityofarcata.org/rec. 822-7091.

Holiday Open House. 4-8 p.m. Essential Elements Wellness Spa & Sauna, 1639 Central Ave., Suite A, McKinleyville. Enjoy sparkling wine or cider and hors d'oeuvres while you peruse local vendors and gift basket creations. Free. www.essentialelementsspa.com/essential-events. 839-7772.

It's a Wonderful Life **Live Radio Play.** 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Kris Kringle's Christmas Craft Fair. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. United Congregational Christian Church, 900 Hodgson, Eureka. Features blooming bulbs, art work, bath/body products, hats, gift baskets, gourmet candies and baked goods. Free. 845-7591.

Loleta Craft Fair. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Loleta Elementary School, 700 Loleta Dr. Sponsored by the Wiyot Tribe. leeannduclo@yahoo.com. 273-7425.

Mistletoe Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive, Fortuna. More than 20 vendors to help you cross names off your Christmas shopping list. Door prizes every half hour. www.friendlyfortuna.com.

The Nutcracker. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

Animal Shelter Holiday Open House. 12-4 p.m. Humboldt County Animal Shelter, 980 Lycoming Ave., McKinleyville. Tours, refreshments, raffle and silent auction. All proceeds go towards the Emergency Medical Fund. Free.

Santa Paws Photos. 1-3 p.m. Humboldt Animal Rescue Team, 531 Summer St., Eureka. Bring your furry family and/or children and take a fun photo with Santa Paws. Donations support the animals of H.A.R.T. $5-$10.

Stocking Stuffer Boutique. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. The MGC, 2280 Newburg Road, Fortuna. Peruse vendor booths featuring handmade gifts and food items. Enjoy spiced cider and cookies while you browse. Free admission. ervmgc.com.

Stories with Santa. 2-4 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Enjoy storytelling and photos with Santa, holiday treats and gift making projects. $5, $2, Free for kids. janine@humboldtarts.org. www.humboldtarts.org. 442-0278.

Trucker's Christmas Parade. 6 p.m. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Watch the trucks, tractors and other vehicles festooned with Christmas lights. Free. truckersparade@keka101.com. www.redwoodacres.com. 442-5744.

'Twas the Night Before Christmas. 6 p.m. Eureka High School Auditorium, 1915 J St. Presented by Trillium Dance

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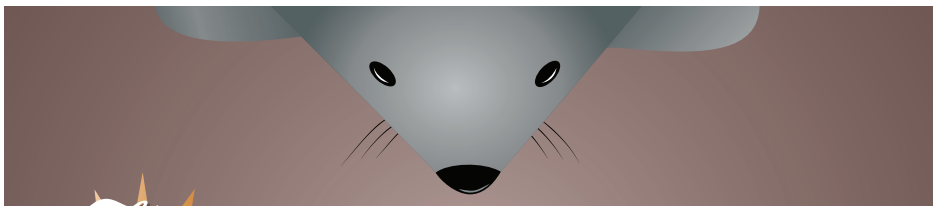


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Visit with Santa. 12-3 p.m. Old Town Eureka. Bring your camera and pose with the big man as he roams Downtown/Old Town with hourly appearances at the Gazebo. Free. www.eurekamainstreet.org.

Winter Arts Faire. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Mateel Community Center, 59 Rusk Lane, Redway. Nearly 50 artisan booths, music, children's storytelling, food and dRink and a visit from Santa. $5, free to MCC members. www.mateel.org.

OUTDOORS

Arcata Marsh Tour. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Meet a trained guide for a 90-minute walk focusing on the ecology of the marsh. Led byElliott Dabill. Free. 826-2359.

Audubon Society Arcata Marsh Tour. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring your binoculars and have a great morning birding. Rain or shine. Tour leader Larry Karsteadt. Free. www.rras.org/calendar.

Dune Ecosystem Restoration. 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Help remove invasive plants to make room for native plant diversity. Tools, gloves and snacks provided. Please bring water and wear work clothes. Free. jess@friendsofthedunes.org. www.friendsofthedunes.org/news. 444-1397.

Hikshari' Volunteer Trail Stewards. 9-11 a.m. Hikshari' Trail, Elk River Wildlife Sanctuary, Eureka. Clean up and landscaping. Bring your own water, gloves available. Rain or shine. 444-2357.

Restoration Day. Feb. 8, 9 a.m. Trinidad Head. Remove invasive plants. Wear sturdy shoes. Gloves and tools are provided. Meet at the parking lot next to the Trinidad School. Free. Michelle.Forys@parks.ca.gov. 677-3109.

Riverside Ranch/Salt River Field Trip. 8 a.m.-noon. Ferndale Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth Street. Join Redwood Region Audubon Society in a newly restored but still-developing wetland usually only accessible by boat. Meet at the Ferndale Fairgrounds at 8 a.m. to carpool. Be prepared to walk a few miles on an easy gravel road. Call to register. Free. rras.org. 496-8790.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen's Pavilion, 9 Park St. See Dec. 11 listing.

ETC

Music Yard Sale. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Humboldt Brews, 856 10th St., Arcata. Instruments, amps, electronic gear, music memorabilia, posters, CDs and more. www.humboldtbrews.com.

Women's Peace Vigil. 12-1 p.m. County Courthouse, 825 Fifth St., Eureka. Dress in warm clothing and bring your own chair. No perfume, please. Free. 269-7044.

Yu-Gi-Oh! Standard League. 1-4 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and claim your prizes. $5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

13 Sunday

DANCE

Hoaloha Pumehana. 2-3 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Escape to a tropical island with Hoaloha Pumehana (warm-hearted friends), Polynesian and Hula dancers. $5, $2, Free to kids and members. janine@humboldtarts.org. www.humboldtarts.org. 442-0278.

MOVIES

Polar Express. 6 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. A boy who longs to believe in Santa Claus is visited by a mysterious train that takes him and a group of kids to the North Pole. $5. www.arcatatheatre.com.

MUSIC

Bayside Grange Music Project. 5-9 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. From 5-7 p.m. anyone playing any instrument with any ability is invited; 7-9 p.m. people with wind instruments for Bandemonium. Donations. gregg@relevantmusic.org. www.relevantmusic.org/Bayside. 499-8516.

Winter Chorale Concert. 8 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, Humboldt State University, Arcata. Humboldt Chorale and University Singers present a seasonal and diverse menu of songs. $8, $5 free HSU.

THEATER

Anton in Show Business. 2-4 p.m. Gist Hall Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. See Dec. 10 listing.

Little Women Musical. 2-4:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. See Dec. 11 listing.

The Character Projects. 8 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See Dec. 10 listing.

EVENTS

The Emerald Cup. Sonoma County Fairgrounds, 1350 Bennett Valley Road, Santa Rosa. See Dec. 12 listing.

FOR KIDS

Lego Club. 12:30-2 p.m. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Fun for younger and older kids featuring Duplos and more complex pieces. Free with museum admission. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

Pokemon Trade and Play. 3-5 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your cards to play or learn. Free. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 5 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free. (503) 828-7421.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Studio Sale. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Thimbleberry Threads Studio, 4460 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. See Dec. 12 listing.

The Babes Holiday Concert. 3-4:30 p.m. Eureka Women's Club, 1531 J St. HLOC's woman's group presents its annual Christmas concert, joined by the HLOC Guys Chorus. Donation. info@hloc.org. hloc.org. 822-3319.

Chanukah Celebration. 4-8 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall,

2297 Jacoby Creek Road. Temple Beth El's Chanukah Celebration complete with latkes, trimmings and green salad. Group menorah lighting and singing at 5 p.m. Music and folk dancing with Chubritza. $5 donation. bethel@reninet.com. www.templebetheleureka.org. 444-2846.

Cricket on the Hearth. 8 p.m. Redwood Curtain Theatre, 220 First St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

Fortuna Christmas Music Festival. 12-6:30 p.m. River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive. Holiday music featuring barbershop singers, choirs, bands and a full orchestra. Proceeds go to charity. Free. www.friendlyfortuna.com.

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Holiday Craft Fair and Book Sale. 10:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Trinidad Elementary School, 300 Trinity St. Crafts and artwork created by students and local artisans. Book sale benefits Trinidad School library. Free. rleuck@nohum.k12.ca.us.

Holiday Craft Market. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. See Dec. 12 listing.

Indie Craft Fair. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St. Browse arts and crafts from 30 local artisans at this fundraiser for The Friends of the Trinidad Library. $2.

Li'l Red in the Redwoods. 5-6 p.m. Orick School, 120918 Highway 101. The Dell'Arte Company's annual all-ages holiday show. A re-imagining the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. Free. info@dellarte.com. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663.

Lighted Tractor Parade. 6 p.m. Ferndale Main Street. Local farmers and ranchers parade decorated tractors and tractor-drawn wagons. Free. 786-4477.

MCC Holiday Concert. 2:30 p.m. Azalea Hall, 1620 Pickett Road, McKinleyville. Holiday concert with vocal duets and accompanied solos. Refreshments served. Donations accepted. www.mckinleyvillecsd.com/azalea-hall. 839-2276.

The Nutcracker. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

Santa Paws. 1-6 p.m. Humboldt Pet Supply, 145 G St., Arcata. Have your pet's picture taken with Santa Paws. All proceeds benefit Companion Animal Foundation. Microchipping ($25) and pet tag engraving ($4) also available. $8 donation.

Tuba Christmas. 4:30 p.m. River Lodge Conference Center & Commercial Kitchen, 1800 Riverwalk Drive, Fortuna. Ring in the holiday season with deep brass tones. Free. www.friendlyfortuna.com.

'Twas the Night Before Christmas. 2 p.m. Eureka High School Auditorium, 1915 J St. See Dec. 12 listing.

Visit with Santa. 12-3 p.m. Historic Old Town Eureka, Second Street. See Dec. 12 listing.

Winter Arts Faire. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Mateel Community Center, 59 Rusk Lane, Redway. See Dec. 12 listing.

OUTDOORS

Mushroom Walk. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lanphere Dunes, Lanphere Road, Arcata. Join mycologists Peter Haggard and Virginia Waters for a guided walk. Meet at Pacific Union School. Call to reserve space. Free. info@friendsofthedunes.org. www.friendsofthedunes.org/news. 444-1397.

Audubon Society Birding Trip. Second Sunday of every month, 9 a.m. Humboldt Bay National Wildlife Refuge, 1020 Ranch Road, Loleta. Learn the common birds of Humboldt on a two- to three-hour walk. Meet at the Visitor Center. Free. 822-3613.

SPORTS

BMX Practice and Racing. 1-3 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Bring your bike for some fun. Wear long sleeves and pants. $2 practice, $11 race. www.facebook.com/RedwoodEmpireBmx. 407-9222.

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

ETC

Family Game Day. 12-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring the family and friends for a day jam-packed with gaming fun. Feel free to bring in your own games. Free. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Humboldt Flea Market. 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Peruse the tables for treasures. $2 from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m., $1 after 9 a.m., kids under 12 free. www.redwoodacres.com. 822-5292.

Redwood Coast Scrabble Club. 1-5 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Tiles, letters and triple-word scores, oh my! 677-9242.

14 Monday

DANCE

Friendship Circle Dance. 7-10 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Dancing for people in their 50s and older with live music from the 1930s through 1950s. Refreshments served. $4. 725-5323.

MUSIC

Humboldt Ukulele Group. Second Monday of every month, 5:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. A casual gathering of strummers. Beginners welcome. $3. dsander1@arcatanet.com. 839-2816.

John Prine. 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. The "songwriter's songwriter." Ramblin' Jack Elliot opens. $76, $25 HSU students. carts@humboldt.edu. humboldt.edu/centerarts. 826-3928.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Li'l Red in the Redwoods. 5-6 p.m. Loleta Elementary School, 700 Loleta Dr. The Dell'Arte Company's annual all-ages holiday show. A re-imagining the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. Free. info@dellarte.com. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663.

The Nutcracker. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

MEETINGS

Volunteer Orientation. 2:30 p.m. Food for People, 307 W. 14th St., Eureka. Learn to pack and sort food, work with clients, collect donations and cook. panderson@foodforpeople.org.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

15 Tuesday

BOOKS

Grandparents and Books Storytime. 3-4:30 p.m. Fortuna Library, 753 14th St. Free.

MUSIC

Ukulele Play and Sing Group. Third Tuesday of every month. Humboldt Senior Resource Center, 1910 California St., Eureka. All skill levels. Other instruments on approval. Donations of $1-$2 appreciated. veganlady21@yahoo.com.

FOR KIDS

Playgroup. 10-11:30 a.m. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Free play for kids 0-5. Regular admission for kids over 5. Free. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. www.discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

Pokemon Trade and Play. 3-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See Dec. 13 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

***How the Grinch Stole Christmas* Reading.** 11 a.m. Betty Kwan Chinn Day Center, Corner of Seventh and C streets, Eureka. Live music sing-along, holiday crafts, Whoville photo booth with the Grinch, free lunch and a copy of the book. Registration at 10:30 a.m. Free for kids 5 and under and their families. 407-3833.

The Nutcracker. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

COMEDY

Savage Henry Comedy Night. 8 p.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Local and out of town comedians bring the ha-has. $5.

ETC

Bingo. 6 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Speed bingo, early and regular games. Doors open at 5 p.m. Games range from $1-$10.

Board Game Night. 6-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Choose from a large variety of games or bring your own. All ages. Free. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Ferndale Cribbage. 10 a.m. Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 425 Shaw Street, Ferndale. Cards and pegs.

Humboldt Cribbage Club. 6:15 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Play cards. 444-3161.

Volunteer Orientation. 6:30-7:30 p.m. SCRAP Humboldt, 101 H St. Suite D, Arcata. Learn about this dynamic, growing organization. Free. volunteer@scraphumboldt.org. www.scraphumboldt.org. 822-2452.

16 Wednesday

MUSIC

Giraffage & Slow Magic w/Lindsay Lowend. 9:30

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p.m.-1:30 a.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. World Famous presents Giraffage & Slow Magic "So Cute!" Tour with support by Lindsay Lowend. Doors 9:30 p.m. 21+ $15 limited advance. worldfamousparty.com.

FOR KIDS

Card Games Night. Third Wednesday of every month, 5-8 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Play Yugioh, Pokemon and Magic the Gathering. Free. mckhuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. 839-4459.

Youth & Teen Study Group. 3-4:30 p.m. The Multi-Generational Center, 2280 Newburg Road, Fortuna. A quiet environment where students can receive extra help on homework, a snack and optional on-site tutoring. Free. lynea237@gmail.com. www.ervmgc.com. 725-3300.

Storytime. 1 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Liz Cappiello reads stories to children and their parents. Free.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

***The Nutcracker*.** Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 11 listing.

MEETINGS

Citizen's Law Enforcement Liaison Committee. Third Wednesday of every month, 4 p.m. County Courthouse, 825 Fifth St., Eureka. Learn more about the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office and ask questions. Free.

Dow's Prairie Grange. Third Wednesday of every month, 6 p.m. Dows Prairie Grange Hall, 3995 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Get involved in your community Grange. dowsgrange@gmail.com. www.dowsprairiegrange.org. 840-0100.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

COMEDY

Comedy Open Mikey. 9 p.m. Palm Lounge, Eureka Inn, 518 Seventh St. Hosted by Nando Molina with beats by Gabe Pressure. Free.

ETC

Casual Magic. 4-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and connect with the local Magic community. Beginners welcome. Door prizes and drawings. $5. www.nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Get Outside, Explore. 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Bay Tourism Center, 205 G Street, Eureka. Friends of the Dunes announces new videos about Humboldt's coastal habitats. Get program information, meet the videographer and featured experts and enjoy snacks. Free. info@friendsofthedunes.org. www.friendsofthedunes.org/news. 444-1397.

17 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

LECTURE

Spartina Densiflora in Humboldt Bay. 6:30-8 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Craig Benson presents a lecture on the eradication of invasive cordgrass around Humboldt Bay. Refreshments served. $2-$5 sliding. info@friendsofthedunes.org. www.friendsofthedunes.org/news. 444-1397.

MUSIC

Humboldt Ukulele Group. Third Thursday of every month, 5:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. See Dec. 14 listing.

FOR KIDS

Young Discoverers. 10:30 a.m.-noon. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

***Li'l Red in the Redwoods: A Holiday Tale* Closing Weekend.** 7:30 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. The Dell'Arte Company's re-imagining of the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. $10, $8. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663 ext. 20.

SPORTS

Humboldt Ice Rink. Newburg Park, 2700 Newburg Road, Fortuna. See Dec. 10 listing.

ETC

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. See Dec. 10 listing.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See Dec. 10 listing.

Heads Up This Week

Humboldt International Film Festival is taking submissions until March 14, 2016 through the festival's website: www.hsufilmfestival.com/submit-a-film.

Humboldt Area Center for Harm Reduction seeks donations of clean and gently used coats, sleeping bags/blankets, socks, gloves and hats for its "Anything Warm" donation drive. For drop off locations, call 601-6221.

Westhaven Center for the Arts seeks new Musician in Residence. Applications due Dec. 14. Call 834-2479 or email jeinem@humboldt1.com.

Food for People is in need of holiday turkeys and hams. To donate, please drop off at 307 W. 14th St. in Eureka or call 445-3166.

Artists, crafters, home-based business owners and others with gift items to sell are invited to participate in the holiday store through the Rio Dell Scotia Chamber of Commerce. Call 506-5081.

The Arcata Presbyterian Church is planning its annual Christmas basket distribution. Applications are available for residents of Arcata, Manila, Samoa, Blue Lake and Bayside. Contact Wendy at 822-1321.

Low-cost firewood is available for income-eligible older adults. Call 443-9747 ext. 1241 for more information.

Volunteers wanted for Eureka VA clinic. Call 269-7502.

Holiday Events

18 Friday

***Christmas in Connecticut* .** 7 p.m. Eureka Theater, 612 F St. Celebrate the holiday spirit at The Eureka Theater with a classic holiday comedy. $5. www.theeurekatheater.org.

Holiday Art Sale. Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka.

***Li'l Red in the Redwoods: A Holiday Tale* Closing Weekend.** 7:30 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. The Dell'Arte Company's re-imagining of the classic folktale *Little Red Riding Hood*. $10, $8. www.dellarte.com. 668-5663 ext. 20.

19 Saturday

***Nutcracker in Narnia*.** 3:30-5 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. Trinity Ballet Academy presents this original ballet featuring dances from the Land of the Nutcracker and from the Land of the Christmas Star. $12, $8. 839-1816.

Candlelight Garden Walk. 5-8 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, College of the Redwoods Campus. Take a candlelight tour of the garden, enjoy holiday story reading, crafts, light refreshments, live music and caroling. Wear warm clothing. $10, $20 family, $8, $16 HBG members. www.hbgf.org. 442-5139.

Holiday Handmade/Makers' Fair. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. Peruse local arts and crafts booths, listen to live music, eat delicious food and beverages provided by Comfort of Home Catering. $1, or shelf-stable food item. www.baysidegrange.org.

***Li'l Red in the Redwoods: A Holiday Tale* Closing Weekend.** 2 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See Dec. 18 listing.

***The Nutcracker*.** 7 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. The Dance Scene Studio and The Ink People's Sundance Ballet Company present *The Nutcracker*. $18, $12 child, $15, $10 advance.

Visit with Santa. 12-3 p.m. Old Town Eureka. Bring your camera and pose with the big man as he roams Downtown/Old Town with hourly appearances at the Gazebo. Free. www.eurekamainstreet.org.

20 Sunday

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Evening. 5 p.m. Winema Theater, Main St., Scotia. Enjoy live holiday music by the Winema Winds, a pizza dinner, kids cartoons and the movie *Santa Conquers the Martians.* Dinner $5, $3 kids under 6; movie $5, $3 kids 6-16, free kids 5 and under.

Holiday Handmade/Makers' Fair. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. See Dec. 19 listing.

The Nutcracker Ballet. 2 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. See Dec. 19 listing.

Visit with Santa. 12-3 p.m. Historic Old Town Eureka, Second Street. See Dec. 19 listing.

24 Thursday

Christmas Sing-along with Santa. Benbow Historic Inn, 445 Lake Benbow Drive, Garberville. A spectacle of lights, decorations and good cheer. Christmas sing-along with Santa on Christmas Eve. www.BenbowInn.com. 923-2124.

31 Thursday

New Year's Eve with Caravan of Glam. 9 p.m. Sapphire Palace, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. Three hours of live entertainment from your favorite Portland drag performers. Music by Pressure Anya, visual stylings by Marmalade Sky. $35 VIP, $25. www.bluelakecasino.com.

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Baddest Santa

The gift of *Krampus*

By John J. Bennett
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You've got a little something right there.

Reviews

KRAMPUS. As hard-bitten a misanthrope as I may seem, I am actually a raging secular humanist (loathe as I am to adopt that over-used and thus ever-less meaningful phrase). I've worked directly with people long enough to have become jaded, bitter, generally disillusioned. In my heart of hearts, though, I secretly assume positive intent, even when I know I'm wrong; I give people the benefit of the doubt. In the absence of faith or religion, I suppose that impulse is my spirit of the season. And maybe it is why, beside my predilection for cinematic ultra-violence and crime sagas and depictions of humanity's baser impulses, I hold a special place for Christmas movies. Yet a more special place for violent Christmas movies, this attributable to a lifetime of Noels defined equally by the delectable treats coming out of the kitchen and the soothing strains of *Die Hard* and *The Long Kiss Goodnight* in the background. The sign in the dining room reads, "Remember, as far as anyone knows we are a nice, normal family."

Christmas movies conjure happy sense memories, a psychological cocoon of tree smell and twinkle lights, stockings hung by the chimney with care — the whole goddamn thing. They fit not only with my sentimentality about this time of year, but also with my firm belief in the power of cinema. Few things can transport one as effectively as a well-appointed Christmas movie. Before we all join hands, though, it is worth noting that I've still got on my armor of cynicism and diminished hope for the species (I much prefer *Bad Santa* to *The Santa Clause*). So I was well-placed to receive the gift of *Krampus*.

The opening shots of a near riot in a department store are an immediate tip-off to the movie's tone. Shoppers with 1,000-yard stares gnash their teeth and trade blows, trampling each other and destroying the very gifts they covet. The sequence is a wordless, ingenious indictment of the corruption and commercialization of the season. The camera makes its way languidly through the fray, past the blackened eyes and tears, and comes to rest on two boys locked in a particularly vicious struggle. One of them is Max (Emjay Anthony, who impressed in *Chef*), our protagonist, so firm in his belief in Christmas that he's willing to fight somebody bigger than him for telling some younger kids Santa isn't real. Max's parents, Tom and Sarah (Adam Scott and Toni Collette) rush in, separating the combatants before heading home. Their house, gloriously bedecked, filled with Sarah's culinary craftsmanship, will become the setting for most of the movie to follow. And, like the department store of the opening, it is a symbol of the movie's themes. The place is gorgeous: spacious, well-lit, beautifully decorated, a dream house nestled in a winter wonderland. Inside, though, everyone is in emotional disarray. Tom is distracted by work, Sarah feels distanced from him. Max's older sister Beth (Stefania LaVie Owen) just wants to go to her boyfriend's house. The family is splintered without realizing it. Max takes comfort in the presence of his paternal grandmother, Omi (Krista Stadler) quietly making cookies and speaking to him in German. The arrival of Sarah's sister Linda (Alison Tolman) and her gun-nut family cues a further downward spiral. Their tomboy daughters (who, it is implied, Dad wishes were boys) taunt Max for his childish Christmas wishes. Aunt Dorothy (Conchata Ferrell) denigrates Sarah's cooking and tries to drink all the booze in the house. Linda's husband, Howard (David Koechner), spouts Promise Keeper bullshit and impugns Tom's masculinity. Their dinner table conversation becomes a perfect storm of awkwardness and contempt. The anti-Christmas spirit pervades. After the meal, a power outage slows things down, and the real action of the movie begins.

Director Michael Dougherty harnesses the momentum of all the tension and negative energy accumulated in the first act and uses it to turn the narrative abruptly into darker territory. With a savvy nod to the horror-monster-comedies of the 1980s, he invades the house with a freaky menagerie of Yuletide beasties, all under the sway of the demon Krampus. The family goes to war defending itself, learning — perhaps too late — something about togetherness and the spirit of the holiday. Striking a delicate balance between comedy and horror (without bowing to gross-out convenience or hackneyed scares), *Krampus* becomes a cool little hybrid: an homage to a type of movie we don't really see anymore, tied up in festive ribbons. It also succeeds in examining the cynicism with which Christmas is so often charged, turning that tendency into the monster running rampant through the narrative. It's a clever trick, and a subtly played one; you might be enjoying the movie so much that you miss it. The existence of *Krampus* is itself something of a miracle. A modestly budgeted, deeply entertaining work of imagination with a nationwide, year-end release? And with a perfect ending, to boot? God bless us, every one. *PG13. 98M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.*

— John J. Bennett

For showtimes, see the Journal's *listings at www.northcoastjournal.com or call: Broadway Cinema 443-3456; Fortuna Theatre 725-2121; Mill Creek Cinema 839-3456; Minor Theatre 822-3456.*

Previews

IN THE HEART OF THE SEA. Ron Howard directs a 17th century whale tale about a stranded crew with Chris Hemsworth at the helm. *PG13. 122M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.*

ROOM. A woman held prisoner in a windowless box creates a haven for her young son, who knows nothing about the outside world. Inspiring/crushing. *R. 118M. MINOR.*

Continuing

BROOKLYN. An Irish immigrant is pulled between her roots back home and the new life and inter-cultural romance she's started with a swell Italian-American fella. *PG13. 111M. MINOR.*

CREED. Not just a bum from the neighborhood. The franchise makes a comeback with fine performances from Michael B. Jordan and a touching Sylvester Stallone. *R. 101M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.*

THE GOOD DINOSAUR. Animated interspecies buddy movie set in an alternate universe in which dinosaurs and humans coexist. With Jeffrey Wright and Frances McDormand. *PG. 100M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.*

HUNGER GAMES: MOCKINGJAY PART 2. The last nail in the franchise's coffin is so dull you may have to fight your way to the exits. *PG13. 136M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.*

THE LETTERS. A dramatic portrait of Mother Theresa through notes to a priest pen pal. *PG. 119M. BROADWAY.*

LOVE THE COOPERS. A pile-up of talented actors (John Goodman, Diane Keaton, Alan Arkin, Marisa Tomei) in a wreck of a holiday-family-dysfunction comedy that takes itself too seriously. *PG13. 107M. BROADWAY.*

THE MARTIAN. Ridley Scott directs Matt Damon as a stranded astronaut in a compelling and life-affirming space drama. *PG13. 141M. BROADWAY.*

THE NIGHT BEFORE. Seth Rogen leads his bros Joseph Gordon-Levitt and Anthony Mackie in a fun and funny drug-fueled holiday comedy about being a dude, growing up late and the joy of cameos. *R. 101M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.*

THE PEANUTS MOVIE. Snoopy and the gang put their enormous heads together again for this animated feature. *G. 93M. BROADWAY.*

SECRET IN THEIR EYES. This adaptation of the Argentinian thriller showcases powerful actors (Julia Roberts, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Nicole Kidman) but loses steam. *PG13. 111M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.*

SPECTRE. Daniel Craig returns for more sharp-suited globe trotting and plot foiling with nods to classic Bond films. Innovative action but heavy on the soul searching. *PG13. 148M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.*

SPOTLIGHT. Mark Ruffalo, Rachel McAdams and Michael Keaton in an unassuming, powerful movie about the journalists who uncovered the sexual abuse and systematic cover-ups in the Catholic Church. *R. 101M. MINOR.*

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill ●



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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ISAAC LELAND MOXON, JR. CASE NO. PR150299

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both,
Isaac Leland Moxon, Jr.
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Dona Marie Moxon
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Dona Marie Moxon be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held on January 7, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8.
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:
Catherine M. Koshkin, Esq.
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1116 Eleventh Street
Arcata, CA 95521
(707) 822-2800
Filed: December 2, 2015
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
12/10, 17, 24 (15-252)

PUBLIC SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700 -21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code. The undersigned will sell at public sale by competitive bidding on the 16th of December, 2015, at 9:00 AM, on the premises where said property has been stored and which are located at Rainbow Self Storage. The following units are located at 4055 Broadway Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt.

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Kathleen Poole, Unit # 1557
Michael Walker, Unit # 1616
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Shannon Lucei, Unit # 1767
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Daniar Betancourt, Unit # 6439

Items to be sold include, but are not limited to:
Household furniture, office equipment, household appliances, exercise equipment, TVs, VCR, microwave, bikes, books, misc. tools, misc. camping equipment, misc. stereo equip. misc. yard tools, misc. sports equipment, misc. kids toys, misc. fishing gear, misc. computer components, and misc. boxes and bags contents unknown. Purchases must be paid for at the time of the sale in cash only. Anyone interested in attending the auction must sign in at 4055 Broadway Eureka CA. prior to 9:00 A.M. on the day of the auction, no exceptions. All purchase items sold as is, where is and must be removed at time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. Auctioneer: Kim Santsche, Employee for Rainbow Self-Storage, 707-443-1451, Bond # 40083246.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 2015 and 10th day of December, 2015
(15-245)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00561

The following person is doing Business as **Compliant Farms**
Humboldt, 1620 Charles Ave,
Arcata, CA 95521
PO Box 5306, Arcata, CA 95521
Daniel J Mar
1620 Charles Ave,
Arcata, CA 95521
Hollie Hall
3946 Lake Wood Ct., Arcata, CA 95521
The business is conducted by A General Partnership.
The date registrant commenced to

transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Daniel J Mar, Co-Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on October 06, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abram

12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31 (15-220)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00615

The following person is doing Business as **EVOLUTION T-SHIRTS**
Humboldt, 211 2nd St. #1,
Eureka, CA 95501
Peter M Clark
211 2nd St. #1, Eureka, CA 95501
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Peter M. Clark, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on October 28, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: M. Morris

11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10 (15-238)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00616

The following person is doing Business as **FULL SPECTRUM PHOTOGRAPHY**
Humboldt, 300 Seascape Ln,
Trinidad, CA 95570
PO Box 4891, Arcata, CA 95518
Esther Stewart
300 Seascape Ln,
Trinidad, CA 95570
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Esther Stewart, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on
October 28, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10 (15-237)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00669

The following person is doing Business as **PURE LIFE FARMS**
Humboldt, 1720 11 St.,
Arcata, CA 95521
PO Box 100, Arcata, CA 95518
Joshua P Paik-Nicely
1720 11 St., Arcata, CA 95521
Maria F. Alfaro-Jimenez
1720 11 St, Arcata, CA 95521
The business is conducted by A Married Couple.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Joshua P. Paik-Nicely, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 24, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24 (15-242)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00649

The following person is doing Business as **A-OK MANAGEMENT SERVICES**
Humboldt, Highway 254 Avenue of the Giants #12, Phillipsville, CA 95559
PO Box 25, Phillipsville, CA 95559
Melissa l Richmond
Highway 254 Avenue of the Giants #12, Phillipsville, CA 95559
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Melissa L. Richmond, Executive Officer
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 12, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10 (15-235)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00673

The following person is doing Business as **ORIGINS**
Humboldt, 920 Samoa Blvd Suite 215, Arcata, CA 95521
Tyson J Cramer
3840 Soule St., Eureka, CA 95503
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Tyson Cramer, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 30, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: S. Carns

12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24 (15-246)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00667

The following person is doing Business as **BIEN LIMPIO**
Humboldt, 560 A Park Ave.,
Arcata, CA 95521
Diego A Arevalo
560 A Park Ave, Arcata, CA 95521
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
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/s Diego Arevalo, Sole Proprietor
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 23, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24 (15-243)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00687

The following person is doing Business as **SHEAR DESIGNS**
2151 Harrison Ave, Eureka, CA 95501
Mary L. Glavich
1585 Fern Drive, Eureka, CA 95503
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
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/s Mary L. Glavich, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on
December 4, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

12/10, 17, 24, 31 (15-251)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00640

The following person is doing Business as **MIGUEL'S**
Humboldt, 100 Main St.,
Scotia, CA 95565
PO Box 18, Scotia, CA 95565
Gallaghers Irish Pub, Inc 3b3b15b
139 2nd Street, Eureka, CA 95501
The business is conducted by A Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Kelly A. Erben, Vice President Secretary
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 6, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10 (15-234)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00661

The following person is doing Business as **TENDER TREE BIRTH SERVICES**
Humboldt, 10 Spruce St.,
Eureka, CA 95503
Kimberly E Conlin
10 Spruce St, Eureka, CA 95503
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Kimberly E. Conlin
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 18, 2015
A. Abrams
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24 (15-244)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00655

The following person is doing Business as **HUMBOLDT SPA**
Humboldt, 601 5th St,
Eureka, CA 95501
Eureka Wellness & Beauty, 46-2088864
601 5th St., Eureka, CA 95501
The business is conducted by A Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Amelia Pelz, President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on
November 16, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: M. Morris

12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24 (15-241)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00637

The following person is doing Business as **COMMUNITY VISION HEALING**
Humboldt, 4041 Brookwood Dr.,
Bayside, CA 95524
Jamila T Tharp
4041 Brookwood Dr.,
Bayside, CA 95524
The business is conducted by An Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).
/s Jamila Tharp, Owner
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on November 5, 2015
KELLY E. SANDERS
Humboldt County Clerk
By: A. Abrams

11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17 (15-239)

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME SHASTA LYNN GRAHAM CASE NO. CV150443 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501

PETITION OF:
SHASTA LYNN GRAHAM
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner: Shasta Lynn Graham

for a decree changing names as follows:
Present name
SHASTA LYNN GRAHAM
to Proposed Name
SHASTA LYNN PHILLIS

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.
NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: December 28, 2015
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 8
SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: November 6, 2015
Filed: November 9, 2015
/s/ Dale A. Reinholtsen
Judge of the Superior Court

11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10/2015 (15-236)

Notice of Intent to Fill Vacancy on the Fieldbrook School District Governing Board

The Fieldbrook School District is announcing its intent to appoint a person to fill a vacancy on the Fieldbrook School District governing board. The appointed person must reside in the Fieldbrook School District and must be a citizen of California, 18 years or older, and a registered voter. Persons interested in being considered for appointment should submit a letter of application and resume to Daria Lowery at the Fieldbrook School District, 4070 Fieldbrook Road, prior to 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 13, 2016.

12/10, 12/17 (15-247)

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CITY OF FORTUNA–NOTICE INVITING BIDS

1. Bid Information. City of Fortuna ("Owner"), will accept sealed bids for its Rohner Creek Flood Control, Seismic and Habitat Improvements Project: Vegetation Removal ("Project"), by or before December 23, 2015, at 3:00_p .m., at the GHD office, located at 718 Third Street, Eureka, California, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any non-substantive irregularities.

2. Project Information.

2.1 Location and Description. The Project is located within the City of Fortuna, and is described as follows:

The City of Fortuna (City) is seeking services from a licensed, qualified contractor to remove trees within the Rohner Creek corridor for the Rohner Creek Flood Control, Seismic and Habitat Improvements Project. The project area extends from Main Street to 12th Street along the creek corridor. Trees to be removed are located on public and private property through a residential area.

2.2 Time for Completion. Work in riparian areas, including the trimming and/or removal of existing dense vegetation, shall be completed by February 15, 2016..

2.3 Estimated Cost. An estimated construction cost for this project has not been developed.

3. License and Registration Requirements.

3.1 License. This Project requires a valid California contractor's license for the following classification(s): Class C contractor's license in the state of California with C-61 Limited Specialty with D-49 Tree Service. A portion of the work will require line-clearance tree trimming operations as defined by the federal and state occupational safety and health administration (OSHA). Contractor shall have the appropriate line-clearance qualifications to complete this work.

3.2 DIR Registration. Owner will not accept a Bid Proposal from or enter into the Contract with a bidder, without proof that the bidder and its Subcontractors are registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR") to perform public work under Labor Code Section 1725.5, subject to limited legal exceptions.

4. Contract Documents. The plans, specifications, bid and contract documents for the Project ("Contract Documents") may be obtained from Humboldt Builders' Exchange at 624 C Street, Eureka, California, City of Fortuna City Hall at 621 11th Street, Fortuna, California, and the GHD office at 718 Third Street, Eureka, California.

5. Bid Proposal and Security.

5.1 Bid Proposal Form. Each bid must be submitted using the Bid Proposal form provided with the Contract Documents.

5.2 Bid Security. Each Bid Proposal must be accompanied by bid security of ten percent of the maximum bid amount, in the form of a cashier's or certified check made payable to Owner, or a bid bond executed by a surety licensed to do business in the State of California on the Bid Bond form included with the Contract Documents. The bid security must guarantee that upon award of the bid, the bidder will execute the Contract and submit payment and performance bonds and insurance certificates as required by the Contract Documents within ten days after issuance of the notice of award.

6. Prevailing Wage Requirements.

6.1 General. This Project is subject to the prevailing wage requirements applicable to the locality in which the Work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to perform the Work, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, apprenticeship and similar purposes.

6.2 Rates. These prevailing rates are available online at http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR. Each Contractor and Subcontractor must pay no less than the specified rates to all workers employed to work on the Project. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work must be at least time and one-half.

6.3 Compliance. The Contract will be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the California Department of Industrial Relations, under Labor Code Section 1771.4.

7. Performance and Payment Bonds. The successful bidder will be required to provide performance and payment bonds for 100% of the Contract Price.

8. Substitution of Securities. Substitution of appropriate securities in lieu of retention amounts from progress payments is permitted under Public Contract Code Section 22300.

9. Subcontractor List. Each bidder must submit the name, location of the place of business, California contractor license number and DIR registration number for each Subcontractor who will perform work or service or fabricate or install work for the prime contractor in excess of one-half of 1% of the bid price, using the Subcontractor List form included with the Contract Documents.

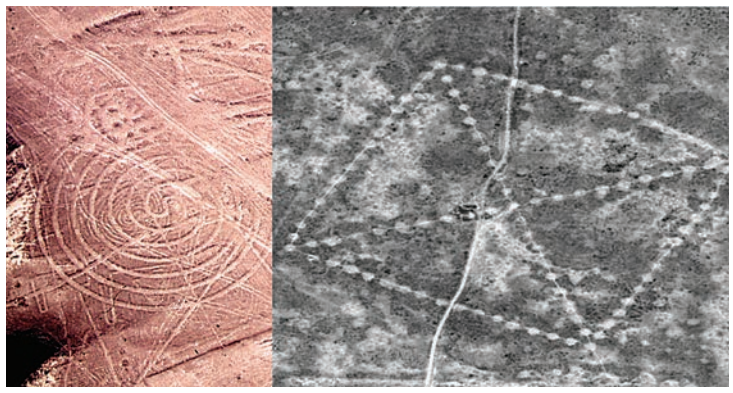
10. Instructions to Bidders. Additional and more detailed information is provided in the Instructions to Bidders, which should be carefully reviewed by all bidders before submitting a Bid Proposal.

11. Bidders' Conference. A mandatory bidders' conference will be held on Friday, December 18th, 2015 at 10:00 a.m., meeting at the corner of Stillman Way and Ash Street in Fortuna, California for the purpose of acquainting all prospective bidders with the Contract Documents and the Worksite. The bidders' conference is mandatory. A bidder who fails to attend a mandatory bidders' conference and sign-in/out may be disqualified from bidding.

By: Date: 12/1/2015
Merritt Perry, City Engineer/Director of Public Works, City of Fortuna
Publication Dates: 1) ___12/10/2015_____ 2)_____12/17/2015_____

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Far left: Nazca spiral (Barry Evans). Left: The Ushotgay Square was the first of more than 200 geoglyphs recently discovered in Kazakhstan. (NASA)

The Expanding World of Geoglyphs

By Barry Evans
fieldnotes@northcoastjournal.com

A loose definition of geoglyph might be: "a large artificial figure on the earth's surface which is much easier to appreciate from above than from the ground." To which one might add: "made by mostly unknown people for totally unknown purposes." The most famous set of geoglyphs, the Nazca Lines in southern Peru, has been attracting an odd mix of archeologists and alien-hunters for 80 years, but a newly discovered gaggle of ancient patterns on the steppes of Kazakhstan in Central Asia is generating the same sort of interest. Taking them in turn:

Nazca: When my wife and I flew over some of the Nazca lines and figures 30 years ago, we were struck by their sheer size and number. The largest are 700 feet across, while hundreds of lines, animal outlines and geometric figures extend over a 200 square-mile area. We don't know a lot about the Nazca people who built them between about 400 BC and 500 AD, but we can infer that they were in the area for centuries — think settlers rather than nomads.

Why did they build them? My wife and I routinely get a kick out of the phrase "built for cultural and religious purposes." We've seen this on dozens of explanatory signs in archeological sites ranging from Mexico to Turkey to Cambodia. I assume it's universal archeological code for "We don't have a clue!" So it is with the Nazca Lines — sure, their builders might have been appeasing the gods or begging for rain. Or, in the other stock phrase, they might have constructed them "for astronomical reasons." Maybe. But in Nazca, whatever your favorite alignment — sunrise on the winter solstice, perhaps — you'll find it somewhere, so prolific are the lines.

Meanwhile, the looney fringe has invoked balloons, airplanes and spaceships in explaining them. How could these primitive people, they wonder (while ignoring contemporaneous Mayan pyramids), possibly have built such huge and elaborate figures? Easily. University of Kentucky researcher Joe Nickell was able to reconstruct a typical pattern with tools used by the Nazca people and a team of students in a few hours.

Kazakhstan: Fast forward to 2007, when a *Discovery Channel* "ancient pyramid" program prompted economist and amateur Kazakh archeologist Dmitriy Dey to examine Google Earth images of his country. No pyramids, but he quickly found the 900-foot-wide square seen in the accompanying satellite image in the middle of nowhere about 200 miles south of his home town of Kostanay. Since then, Dey and other enthusiasts have found more than 200 figures in the same area.

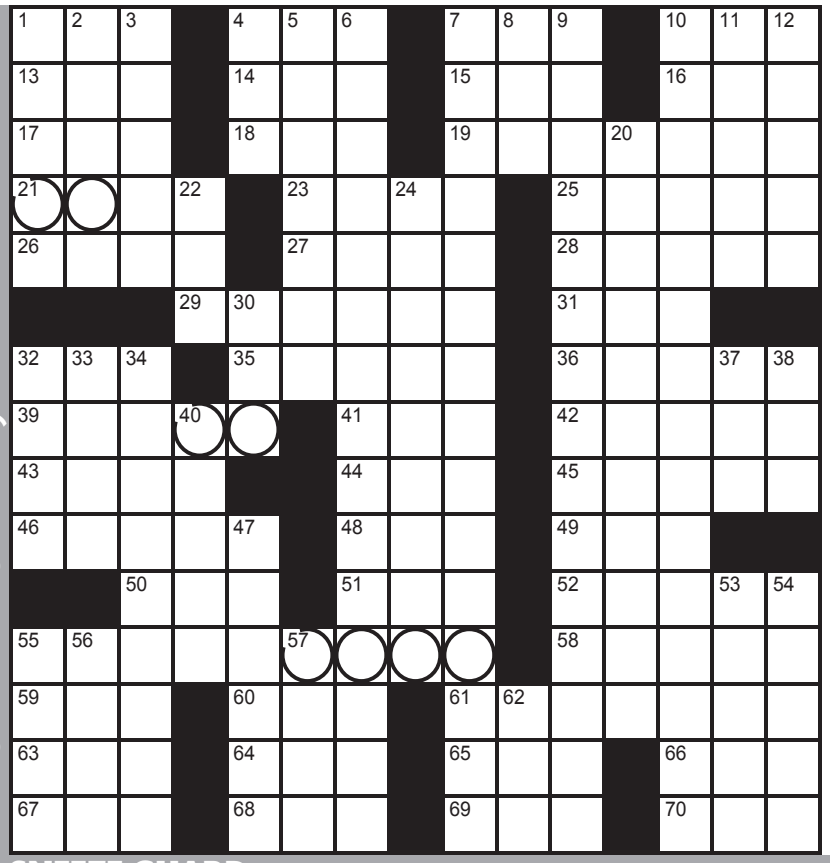
Unlike the "negative" lines in Peru (where the ancients removed a few inches of reddish surface rocks to expose underlying white clay), most of the Kazakhstan geoglyphs are "positive" — they're built to be higher than the surrounding ground. In the case of the Ushotgay Square (named after a nearby village), each of its 101 mounds is about 40 feet across. They're now about 4 feet high, but were probably twice as high when they were built.

We know virtually nothing about their builders. As in Nazca, we can be sure they were settlers — before these geoglyphs were dated to around 800 BC, archeologists thought a previous people, the Mahandzhar, might have been responsible. But the dates are wrong, and the Mahandzhar were nomads; the scale and scope of these constructions tell of settled agriculturalists who were there for the long haul.

I love it that we're still finding such impressive artifacts from our long-ago past. Just when we think we know our planet, something else crops up. Such is the never-ending delight of discovery. ●

Barry Evans (barryevans9@yahoo.com) is jealous of his wife who landed a volunteer assignment in Kazakhstan a few years ago.

CROSSWORD by David Levinson Wilk



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SNEEZE GUARD — *ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!*

ACROSS

1. Uncle ___
4. Network that put out a 2009 book of movie-themed crosswords
7. Like some verbs: Abbr.
10. "Paris, Texas" director Wenders
13. Boxer Laila whose last name appears backwards in her first name
14. High-level, as a farm team
15. Prefix with liberal or conservative
16. Signature Obama health measure, for short
17. Alternative to :-)
18. "____ be a pleasure!"
19. Elite athlete
21. Fictional captain who says "Thou damned whale!"
23. "Grey's Anatomy" locale: Abbr.
25. "No ____ is worse than bad advice": Sophocles
26. 64-Across alum Carvey
27. Almost never
28. 1994 Peace Prize sharer with Rabin and Arafat
29. Josh of "How I Met Your Mother"
31. "Solaris" author Stanislaw
32. Before now
35. Words before Galilee or Tranquility
36. Have ____ for life
39. Do just what the doctor ordered
41. Bart and Lisa's grandpa
42. Mello ____ (soft drink)
43. Commoner
44. It contains M.S.G.
45. Composer Stravinsky and others
46. Pelvic bones
48. "Silent Spring" topic
49. Sister
50. It may be struck in a field
51. Holy animal?
52. Bloated, as the stomach
55. Malaysian designer who created a high-end line of women's shoes
58. Legendary marathoner Waitz
59. "I think ...," in texts
60. "... or ____ gather"
61. Kindle and Nook, for two
63. White House website address ending
64. See 26-Across
65. On the ____ (in hiding)
66. Apt name for a crime boss
67. Music genre that influenced No Doubt
68. "Your point being ...?"
69. Expected
70. "Dexter" airer, for short

DOWN

1. With 22-Down, something commonly protected by a 20-Down
2. 2015 film that came under fire for being set in Hawaii but having no non-white actors
3. Where to see Leonardo's "The Last Supper"
4. Mai ____
5. Kind of ray
6. Figures in some Renaissance paintings
7. Ideally
8. Hinduism, e.g.: Abbr.
9. Dungeons & Dragons, e.g.
10. They're often spit out during the summer
11. Start of Caesar's boast
12. Steenburgen and Cassatt
20. It's represented by this grid's long row of vertical black squares (and, judging by the circled letters, it's doing its job)
22. See 1-Down
24. 2002 animated movie with the tagline "A Hero Will Rise. On Four Legs"
30. Smokestack emission
32. Hooded vipers
33. Big do
34. 1971 Santana hit
37. 35mm camera type
38. NFL pauses
40. Nearly overflowing
47. Milano of "Charmed"
53. Eponymous brewer Bernhard
54. Kind of question
55. Lively dances
56. "Don't worry about me"
57. Mass. neighbor
62. ____ de toilette

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO SLEEPYHEADS

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Deadline: December 30, 2015

www.mckinleyvillecsd.com

The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position

Chief Financial Officer

Tribal Fiscal Department, F/T, Contract/ Regular; Salary DOE; **Qualifications:** BA or BS degree required in Accounting, Business or Finance. MBA and/or CPA highly desirable. 6 + yrs. in financial leadership role. Knowledge of managerial and statistical analysis techniques and reporting procedures. Valid CDL and insurable. **DEADLINE:** December 14, 2015.

Chief of Police

Hoopa Valley Tribe, F/T Reg.; Salary: DOE; **Qualifications:** Must be over 25 yrs. old; good physical and mental health; graduate of a state or federally recognized police academy; P.O.S.T certified. 5 yrs. experience enforcing state laws, 5 yrs. supervisory; supervising law enforcement personnel is required. Bachelor's degree in related field desired. Mental/physical evaluation P.O.S.T. standards by Humboldt County Sheriff Dept. Valid CDL and insurable. **DEADLINE:** December 14, 2015.

Chief Executive Officer

Hoopa Forest Industries, Reg. F/T; Salary: DOE; **Qualifications:** Master's degree (M.A.) in Forestry or related field desired; 4 to 10 yrs. related experience; or equivalent combination of education and experience. RPF Certificate desired, valid CDL and insurable. **DEADLINE:** December 15, 2015.

For job description and application information contact Human Resources Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546 or call (530) 625-9200 ext. 15. The Tribe's Drug and Alcohol Policy and TERO Ordinance apply.

United Indian Health Services, Inc.

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Diabetes Program Manager
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Manager nutrition programs which educates and promotes health and wellness throughout the Community. Arcata/Full Time

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OB /NA-AS Coordinator-Clinical Nurse
Manages Obstetrics Program working closely with Providers. Arcata/Full Time

Lab Assistant
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Cultural Resource Specialist
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Northcoast Children's Services

TEMP ASSOCIATE TEACHER-JEFFERSON HS
Assists teacher in the implementation and supervision of activities for preschool children. Requires a minimum of 12 ECE units—including core classes—and at least one year experience working with young children. **Part-time** temporary, 32 hrs/week (school year), $10.36-$10.88/ hour. **Review date: 12/11/15**

HOUSEKEEPER-VARIOUS LOCATIONS
Perform duties required to keep site clean, sanitized & orderly. Must have experience & knowledge of basic tools & methods utilized in custodial work and have the ability to learn and follow health & safety requirements. **Part-time** $9.46-10.00 per hour. **Review Date: 12/11/15**

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TEAM TEACHER-ARCATA
Responsible for the implementation of classroom activities for infants and toddlers. Must meet Associate Teacher level on Child Development Permit Matrix, including at least 6 units in Infant Toddler Care (an additional 3 units in administration is desirable). Requires one year experience teaching in a preschool setting, including at least 6 months at an infant and toddler center. **Full-time** (Year Round): 37.5 hours per week (Mon-Fri); $10.36-10.88 per hour. **First Review Date: 12/11/15**

ASSISTANT TEACHER-BLUE LAKE
Assist teacher in the implementation and supervision of activities for preschool age children. Minimum of 6-12 ECE units and 6 months experience working with young children. **Part-time**; school-year ; M-F 20 hrs/week. $9.12-$9.97 per hour. **First Review Date: 12/11/15**

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County of Humboldt

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CITY OF ARCATA

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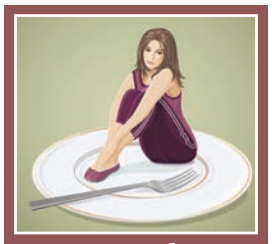
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